WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 6 p.m., Tuesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, continued fine, and cold at night.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Capitol—The Fighting Coward.
Royal—Squibs, M.P.
Dominion—Daddies.
Playhouse—The Coast of Opportunity.
Columbia—Kentucky Days.

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DANGER OF WAVE OF MILITARISM IN GERMANY STRESSED

Col. Josiah Wedgewood Says Duty of Allies is to Re-establish Entente

Only a Short Period Will Separate Elections in France and Germany

London, March 24—Colonel Josiah Wedgewood, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, declared in a speech last night that the German Government had already moved to the right and that if the National Freedom Party should be successful in the coming general election, arming would begin, then "good-bye to reparations."

The British Government, he said, regarded this policy with the gravest anxiety, for it was obvious there could be no settlement without German co-operation and anything making that co-operation more difficult would perpetuate the present chaos and despair.

The French general election would follow the German general election and would inevitably be a reply to it. Thus within six weeks there might arise in Germany a rabid nationalism, with all its concommitants of dictatorship and demagogues

The first duty of statesmanship seemed to be to re-establish the Entente so the Allies might jointly press for carrying out the expert committee's report, whatever it might be, to the end that Britain could stand with her allies against "the maddened herd from across the Rhine."

PORT COQUITLAM MAN AND HIS WIFE WERE MURDERED

Bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Witcherly Were Found in House

Port Coquitlam, B.C., March 24—Albert Witcherly, thirty-five, a car inspector, and his wife, the same age, were brutally murdered in their home here. The bodies, with heads battered in with a hammer and a gunshot wound in the head of the man were found on Saturday night by a neighbor.

The double murder is believed to have been done Friday night, when the nearest neighbor states she heard a woman's shriek.

When the place was visited on Saturday night the body of Witcherly was found in the kitchen, lying on its side on the floor. On a table was a shotgun, one shell having been discharged; the gun being open at the breech. In the hallway near the front door lay the body of the woman as though it had been dragged there and thrown down. The forehead was battered. A pillow had been placed over the head.

Bloodstains on the floor of the kitchen had been washed up, the rags used for this being found in the sink. Both doors of the house were found locked, which induced the police at first to incline to a murder and suicide theory. This has now been discarded, however, for the theory of a double murder. No motive for the crime has been alleged, nor is there so far any clue to the perpetrator.

Sergeant of R.C.M.P. Missing In Manitoba

Winnipeg, March 24—Sergeant Coleridge of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, stationed at Dauphin, Man., has been missing for ten days and the heads of his department have instituted an investigation as to his whereabouts.

The last known of the sergeant was when he started for the Roblin district in connection with a report received by his department in respect to parties operating stills in that locality.

Coal Conference In District 18

Calgary, March 24.—The coal operators in Alberta will again meet the officials of District No. 18 of the United Mine Workers of America in an endeavor to come to a settlement for a new contract, and the meeting will probably take place during the present week.

Eight Killed In Train Smash To-day in France

Metz, France, March 24 (Canadian Press cable via Havas)—An express train bound from Ostend, Belgium, to Basel, Switzerland, this morning crashed into a freight train. Eight passengers were killed and eleven injured.

Painted Fish Were Sold in Town In Pennsylvania

Harrisburg, Pa., March 24. — Painted fish have been found in the sea food markets here, John S. McKee, Deputy Secretary of Agriculture, declared to-day. White salmon, dipped in coal tar dye, to give them a reddish tint, were sold as red salmon, he said.

Several Perished When Ships Struck And One Sank

Gravesend, Eng., March 24. — The United States steamship American Merchant and the British steamship Matatua collided off Thameshaven this morning. The Matatua sank and it is reported that from one to eight of her crew were killed and several hurt.

SAFEST P. G. E. BID ACCEPTED, PROCTOR TELLS COMMISSIONER

Why he rejected other apparently lower bids and accepted the tender of the Northern Construction Company for the work of building forty-two miles of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway was explained by A. F. Proctor, former chief engineer of the Railway Department, before the Royal Commission on P.G.E. affairs to-day. During a vigorous cross-examination by Provincial Party lawyers, Mr. Proctor stuck to his statement that the other bids were unsafe and that acceptance of them might have resulted in a loss of $2,000,000.

Mr. Proctor was on the stand when the inquiry adjourned for luncheon with the cross-examination still proceeding. It was anticipated that his testimony would continue most of the day.

PROCTOR EXAMINED

A. F. Proctor, formerly chief engineer of the Railway Department, was on the stand when the inquiry opened to-day. He was cross-examined by A. H. MacNeill, K.C., senior Provincial Party counsel. When Mr. MacNeill asked witness for his original estimate of the cost of building the first forty-two miles of line built by the Northern Construction Company, Mr. Proctor replied that he thought no such document was in existence.

"Oh yes, there is," Mr. MacNeill retorted, adding that the cost had been $313,000.

Mr. Proctor could not say what was the cost of the forty-two miles as this expenditure was not segregated because the "whole complexion" of the work had been changed after the work was started. He had never tried to give the Government figures on the cost of this part of the project because it would have been impossible for him to stand by such a statement. The location of the forty-two miles of line, he stated, had been altered after construction started.

In cross-examination it was brought out that construction of the forty-two miles of line had taken many more months than had been anticipated. Mr. Proctor declared that the work had been started on the best basis which he could arrange. It would have been impossible, on account of prevailing conditions, to award a contract for the whole of the forty-two miles.

ORIGINAL TENDERS

Mr. MacNeill went over the original tenders on the first P.G.E. work done under the present Government. He asked Mr. Proctor why he had not accepted an offer from Palmer Bros. to do the work for cost plus four per cent. instead of the Northern Construction Company's bid on the basis of a five and a half per cent. commission.

Mr. Proctor replied that the Palmer Bros.' first tender had been very indefinite. He had asked the firm to be more specific with the result that the company had explained its offer in greater detail. After investigating it he had advised the Government that the Northern Construction Company's bid was the most favorable received.

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Revolutionists In Honduras Are Winning Contest

Washington, March 24.—Early collapse of the de facto Government in Honduras and ultimate success of the revolutionary forces headed by General Ferrara was predicted to-day in dispatches to the Navy Department.

Search Made In the Pacific For Ship Vancouver

Honolulu, March 24—The mine planter Whippoorwill left here to-day to search the waters west of Hawaii for the Norwegian schooner Vancouver, fifty-one days overdue at this port from Vancouver, B.C.

The schooner carried lumber and the finding of a quantity of lumber afloat about 300 miles west of here, reported by wireless from the United States Army transport Vega, was responsible for the mine planter's trip.

It is feared here that the Vancouver has been lost.

The Vancouver is a Victoria built schooner, having been launched in 1919 from the Cholberg shipyards. She is one of the three that was launched in the same year, the Dunn and Washington being the others. Captain Hansen, who is in command of the Vancouver, is also the owner and helped build the ship, being connected with the Cholberg yards at the time she was constructed.

C. Steers Lost Life in Flume At Kamloops

Kamloops, March 24.—The body of C. Steers was found in the flume of the city power plant Saturday by William Morgan. It is believed Steers became suddenly ill and fell into the flume.

INVITED TO CITY

At the executive meeting of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, to be held next Monday, the place of meeting of the Union next August will be settled. Five cities contend for the honor of welcoming the delegates, Windsor, Galt, Victoria, Fredericton and Edmonton. The last convention held here was in July, 1918.

Passengers Left Vessel And Crossed Ice To Shore

Sydney, N.S., March 24.—Alarmed at the prospect of an indefinite stay aboard their beleaguered ship, which since Friday has been held in a field of heavy ice seven miles off the entrance of this harbor and three miles from open water, forty-two of the fifty-two passengers of the Reid-Newfoundland steamship Kyle braved the dangers of the hazardous even-mile journey across the ice floes and succeeded in landing at various points along the shores of Lingan Bay Saturday and Sunday. The exodus from the ship followed adverse forecasts predicting a continuance of the strong northeast wind which was rafting and packing the ice.

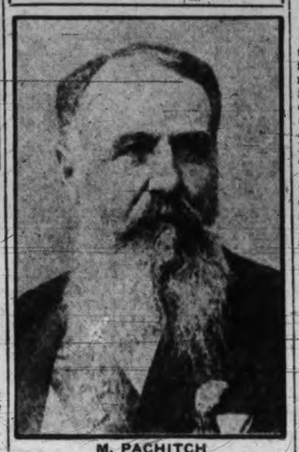
The immediate outlook for the safety of the ship is not regarded as serious.

The passengers encountered little difficulty, except for the rough going, until they were within fifty yards of the shore. There open water faced them all along the coast line and they were forced to the dangerous expedient of jumping from one floe to another to reach the beach. All eventually reached the shore without mishap.

That action will be taken by the Immigration Department in connection with the reported departure from Sydney last evening of several of the Kyle's passengers, who left on a train for the west without going through the necessary formalities relevant to their entrance into Canada, was the statement of J. G. Young, local Immigration officer.

T. Hollis Walker, K.C., who presided at the recent Squires inquiry at St. Johns, Nfld., is still aboard the steamship.

JUGO-SLAV CABINET HANDS IN RESIGNATION



M. PACHITCH

Belgrade, March 24. — The Jugo-Slav Cabinet headed by Premier Pachitch, handed its resignation to the King to-day. All the Ministers belong to the Radical Party.

PIONEER REACHES HIS LAST HARBOR

David Stephen Resided Here Over Three-Score Years

Another link with the earliest days of settlement in British Columbia is severed with the passing on Sunday of David Stephen, a native of Dundee, Scotland, who came to the colony of Vancouver Island in 1852 as third engineer of the Hudson's Bay steamer Labouchere. Mr. Stephen, who has been a resident of Victoria from the time it consisted of a stockaded fort with a few outlying farms and residences beyond its palisades—he came six years before the gold seekers came in 1858 to cause the transition from fur-trading post to city—was born in 1841 at Dundee, and when the Labouchere was being sent out to these shores he shipped on her from London as third engineer.

The Labouchere was brought out to supply the outlying forts of the Hudson's Bay Company from Victoria, and made occasional trips to the northern coast between Victoria and Alaska, carrying Governor Douglas on his inspections, and doing the general business of the company. The Labouchere plied for fourteen years, and during the latter three years of her service ran to Bella Coola, which was made a customs port in connection with a route via that valley to the Cariboo gold fields. In 1866 the steamer was lost and three of her crew lost their lives. Mr. Stephen, who was among the survivors brought to Victoria, afterward shipped as engineer on the Grappler, a vessel brought to Esquimalt as a gunboat and sold to the Hudson's Bay Company to relieve the Labouchere. He served on that vessel until she was burned when en route to the northern canneries, and a number of lives were lost.

Mr. Stephen afterward served on the steamers Princess Louise, R. P. Rithet, Yosemite and Charmer of the C.P.N. Company, and remained in the service when that company was taken over by the C.P.R. When the R. P. Rithet was sold and renamed the Baremba he attended to alterations to her engines. A few years later the C.P.R. took over the C.P.N. Company and later Mr. Stephen was superannuated.

Mr. Stephen is survived by his wife and two step-daughters, Miss Vivien Jagers and Mrs. L. L. Brown, who is now in London, England, and by the children of his former marriage, Mrs. R. G. Jackson, of San Francisco; Mrs. J. Spring and Miss M. Stephen, of Portland, Ore.; Will Stephen, of Los Angeles, and Edwin Stephen, of Vancouver. The funeral will take place from the family residence, 3 Alma Place, to-morrow at 3.30 p.m.

Aged Frenchman Dived Into Seine And Saved Woman

Paris, March 24.—Louis Descoines, octogenarian hero, who recently effected his sixteenth rescue by diving into the Seine and saving a woman from drowning, has been presented with a gold medal by the Federation of Life-saving Societies of France, and it is understood he will receive some mark of distinction from the Government.

During the siege of Paris, Descoines repeatedly dived into the Seine under German fire to repair the cable and maintain communication between Fort Valerion and Rouen.

CONTEST WINNERS

Winners in the Jeff drawing contest are as follows:

First, Minnie Dove, aged thirteen, 1064 Pandora Avenue.

Second, May Flack, aged fifteen, 495 Victoria Avenue.

Third, H. Golby, aged sixteen, Cadboro Bay P.O.

Prizes of $3, first; $2, second, and $1, third, await the winners at The Times.

London, Ontario, Bodies Declare For World Peace

London, Ont., March 24.—A resolution denouncing war and urging international peace was passed unanimously yesterday by a large gathering representing the various churches of London, brotherhoods, social clubs, the City Council, the Jews of the city, the Trades and Labor Council and the fraternal societies.

The resolution supported "the participation of Canada in the League of Nations as a practical effort to substitute justice and law for violence and anarchy in international affairs."

SIR WM. MacEWEN DIED IN GLASGOW; WAS A SURGEON

Glasgow, Scotland, March 24.—Sir William MacEwen, seventy-six, Professor of Surgery in Glasgow University since 1892, died here on Saturday. He was knighted in 1902.

FRUIT MEN'S HEAD PRAISES GOVERNMENT EXPRESS RATE FIGHT

Warm commendation of the Provincial Government's fight for lower western express rates is voiced in a letter received by Premier Oliver to-day from Thomas Bulman, who represented Okanagan fruit growers at the present Railway Board express rate hearing. Mr. Bulman says he is hopeful that the Government's rate fight will be successful and adds high praise for the work of G. G. McGeer, K.C., Government rate counsel.

MAY WITHDRAW

New Glasgow, N.S., March 24.—According to a statement made here by H. W. Brown, international representative of the United Mine Works of America, the international executive board will meet in Indianapolis April 3, when one of the most important questions discussed will be the possible withdrawal of the United Mine Works from Nova Scotia.

PERSIAN PARLIAMENT OUSTS SHAH AND PUTS INFANT SON ON THRONE

London, March 24.—The Persian Parliament has abandoned the plan of transforming Persia into a republic, but has deposed Sultan Ahmed Mirza, the Shah, and has decided to install his infant son on the throne, according to a Teheran dispatch to The Daily Mail.

Owing to the opposition of the clergy and the public, the agitation in favor of a republic has collapsed.

The deposed Shah has been living in Paris and much antagonism toward him has developed because of his long absence from his own country.

The new Shah is two years old and a regent will be appointed to act during his minority.

PASSENGER SHIP ASHORE OFF FLORIDA

President Monroe Reported in no Immediate Danger; Aid is Sent

Large Number Aboard Vessel, Which is 120 Miles From Miami

Jacksonville, Fla., March 24—The steamship President Monroe, a United States Shipping Board vessel, is ashore four miles south of the Pacific Reefs, between Barry's Fort and Fowey Rocks Light Station, about 120 miles distant from Miami. S.O.S. calls were answered by the coastguard cutter Sauke from KeyWest.

The President Monroe, carrying a large number of passengers, is reported in no immediate danger.

FROM NEW YORK

New York, March 24.—The steamship President Monroe, aground off the Florida coast, is operated by the Doller Steamship Line. With thirty-three passengers aboard, the steamship left here March 20 for San Francisco by way of Havana and the Panama Canal.

TWO ARCHBISHOPS BECOME CARDINALS

Archbishop Hayes and Archbishop Mundelein of U.S. Princes of Church

Rome, March 24.—Monsignor Patrick J. Hayes, Archbishop of York, and Monsignor George W. Mundelein, Archbishop of Chicago, were made cardinals of the Roman Catholic Church at a consistory held this morning in the historic Hall of Consistory at the Vatican. The ceremony, carried out in conformity with centuries-old ritual, was performed in majestic solemnity amid a setting of colorful splendor.

The two United States prelates thus raised to the dignity of Princes of the Church, were not present, but awaited notifications of their elevation at their respective temporary places of residence in Rome, in accordance with custom.

Sarraut Will Not Be Member of New French Chamber

Paris, March 24.—Albert Sarraut, Minister of the Colonies, excluded from the Radical Party because he refused to abandon Premier Poincare in his fight to secure passage of his new tax bill, has given up all idea of returning to Parliament, where he has served for more than twenty years. The probability is that he will not be in M. Poincare's Cabinet after the election if the Premier wins his contest against the radical Socialist coalition.

900 New Settlers Include Britishers And Scandinavians

St. John, N.B., March 24.—Approximately 900 immigrants, half from the British Isles and the rest made up largely of Norwegian, Swedes and Finns, were among the 1,110 passengers who landed from the steamship Montclare, which docked here yesterday from Liverpool. The immigrants are going to Central and Western Canada.

BRITISH DECISION AIDS LIMITATION OF ARMAMENTS

Abandonment of Singapore Scheme Furthers International Conciliation

Government's Attitude Made Plain by Premier MacDonald in Statement

London, March 24—There has been some question as to just what Premier MacDonald said in the House of Commons on Tuesday last regarding the relation of the Singapore project to the Washington naval agreement. Examination of the full text of the statement shows the Premier clearly held that the development of the naval base would not be inconsistent with the Washington Treaty.

The Government's abandonment of the scheme was not on the ground that it conflicted with the Washington Treaty, but because the Government stood for international conciliation and hoped for conditions which would make comprehensive armament limitation possible, and considered that to proceed with the project would exercise a most detrimental effect on Great Britain's general foreign policy.

U.S. To Have Aircraft And Bond Investigations

Washington, March 24.—The House to-day authorized two more investigations—one into the aircraft industry and the other into alleged duplication of Government bonds at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

The Senate to-day pushed forward another step its contempt case against Harry F. Sinclair by voting to certify to the United States Attorney-General the facts in connection with his refusal to answer questions before the oil committee.

McGRATH AND OTHERS ARE READY TO RESIGN FROM THE IRISH DAIL

Former Minister of Commerce Dissatisfied With Control of Army; Men Who Murdered Soldiers at Queenstown Traced to Middleton, County Cork; Probably in Hills

Dublin, March 24.—Joseph McGrath, who resigned as Minister of Industry and Commerce, declares in a statement that he and two or three others will resign membership in the Dail Eireann tomorrow.

Referring to the recent army crisis, he says the agreement between himself and President Cosgrave by which he undertook to remain in the Cabinet, has been broken. He undertakes to return all stolen arms.

The arrival of a hospital ship is expected at Queenstown to convey to England all those, with the exception of the little messenger boy Hurley, who were wounded in Friday's shooting outrage.

No further deaths have been reported and the hunt for the slayers continues. It is stated military headquarters are fairly certain of the identity of the fugitives, minute descriptions of whom have been issued by the police.

They have been traced as far as Middleton, County Cork, where it is supposed they escaped to the neighboring hills. It is believed that if they are traced to their hiding place they will not surrender without a fight.

MANY AIDED SEARCH

Queenstown, Ireland, March 24.—Spurred on by the Government's offer of a reward, hundreds of civilians yesterday joined the Free State troops and police in the search for the persons who shot down British soldiers and local civilians as they were returning from Spike Island on Friday.

Thus far no arrests have been made, and the only detail which has been learned concerning the circumstances leading to the crime is that some miles outside of Queenstown Friday night two motor cars were seen which, it is thought, carried a party of the assassins.

The Free State troops are patrolling Queenstown and the surrounding district, and nobody is allowed to land at Spike Island.

SAYS INQUIRY HAS ADDED TO STRENGTH OF GOVERNMENT

Interior People Consider Provincials' Charges a Fiasco, MacLean Finds

The people of the interior of British Columbia regard the Provincial Party's attempt to discredit the Government as a hopeless fiasco, according to Hon. J. D. MacLean, Provincial Secretary, who returned here to-day after a trip into the Kootenay and Boundary districts.

"The proceedings of the Royal Commission have strengthened the Government enormously in the interior constituencies," Dr. MacLean declared this morning. "The electors there feel that the Government has been completely vindicated from the third party's P.G.E. charges. They feel that the Provincial Party's efforts before the Royal Commission have been a hopeless failure and resent the fact that the Party has put the country to heavy expense for no result."

Dr. MacLean added that he found the Government very strong with the electors of the interior.

Dr. MacLean visited Nelson, Grand Forks, Greenwood and points in the Okanagan country to attend to affairs of the Department of Education.

New Gold Find In the Goudreau Field in Ontario

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., March 24.—Considerable excitement has been caused in the Goudreau gold camp as the result of a find by James Cline in a shaft he is sinking on one of his claims. Experts claim it will run from $2,000 to $3,000 to the ton.

GREAT WEST LIFE CONFERENCE HERE

Delegates Arrive For Three-Day Convention in Victoria

Company's Leading Representatives From Western Canada Meet

The first convention from points outside British Columbia in 1924 brought its delegates to the city this afternoon, to the number of more than one hundred including ladies.

It was the western section of the Hundred Thousand Club of the Great West Life Assurance Company of Winnipeg. Once before this club held its convention here, and it was then decided that no unnecessary delay would be occasioned before the members were once more celebrating their success as underwriters of large sums of insurance with a gathering in Victoria. As there are nearly 200 qualified members of the club this year, the eastern agents, including those from Michigan and Illinois, will go to Alexandria Bay, N.Y., in June for their business. Those in the party in Victoria are from Fort William westward, and also from the states of Minnesota and North Dakota. The special train conveying them was made up at Moose Jaw, and on its arrival in Vancouver this morning, the delegates were given a pleasure trip around Burrard Inlet for one hour before the steamer left for this city.

CONVENTION BUSINESS

The first business session will be convened at the Empress Hotel tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. The afternoon functions include a visit to Benvenuto, a golf tournament, and on the last evening a banquet. On one evening there will be a recital, the musical arrangements being in the hands of an experienced baritone, who is engaged with the company. Sales talks and demonstrations will occupy much of the time

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DISCUSS SECURITY OF FRENCH NATION

Premier MacDonald and Ambassador St. Aulaire Confer in London

London, March 24—Count de St. Aulaire, the French Ambassador, had an important conference with Premier MacDonald at the Foreign Office this morning at which the problem of the security of France, as seen against the background of the probable findings of the reparations experts, was discussed in detail.

During the week-end the Prime Minister went over the work of the expert reparations committees with Sir John Bradbury, Sir Robert Kindersley and Sir J. C. Stamp, British members of the committees, who returned to London from Paris Saturday night.

Dances Given On Sunday in New York Church

New York, March 24.—Eurythmic dancing was given Sunday at the Church of St. Mark's-in-the-Bowery in defiance of its interdiction by Bishop William T. Manning of the Episcopal Diocese of New York.

"The ritual dance of the Della Robbia Anunciation," designed for the observance of the Feast of the Annunciation of the Virgin Mary, was given by six young women attired in Greek costumes at both the afternoon and evening services.

Preceding the dance, Rev. Dr. William Norman Guthrie defended eurythmic dancing and explained the symbolism of those on the programme.

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FLY THE FLAG

To the Editor—As secretary of the citizens' committee for the entertainment of the British special service squadron here in June, it was with appreciation that Mr. John T. B. Smith's letter under the above heading was read in a recent issue of your paper. Mr. Simth is one of very many whose interest has been aroused in this unprecedented naval visit to our Pacific Coast by the splendid whole page which The Victoria Daily Times devoted to give this prominence in the issue of Saturday, March 8. We can assure the writer that every detail in connection with the welcome to be extended in this the capital city of our province is being very carefully worked out by our executive under the chairmanship of Alderman John Harvey, and that already a very great deal of work has been done by our sub-committees. Suggestions, such as the one Mr. Smith gives, are very welcome and appreciated. This one has already been mentioned in our meeting of March 5 and referred to a special sub-committee upon decorations. There is no doubt that "if from every home one or more flags fluttered in the breeze" a great impression would be made. The attention of our executive, meeting in the committee room No. 6, Metropolitan Building, at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening next, March 26, shall be called to Mr. Smith's letter in your columns.

W. MILLER HIGGS,
Secretary Citizens' Committee.
March 24, 1924.

DAYLIGHT SAVING

To the Editor—Might another of these mothers take up a little space in your paper. Although feeling strongly on the subject of daylight saving, it took Mr. L. H. Hardies' letter in your paper the other evening to rouse me to make a reply. His belief that most of those opposed to daylight saving—aldermen or private citizens—are cursed with too much leisure is exactly contrary to what I believe to be true. Does he think that the farmers, dairymen and poultrymen, to say nothing of the mothers of families, are people of leisure? Belonging to the last mentioned class myself, I would like to ask Mr. Hardie what leisure he has ever seen the mother of a crowd of small children enjoying? From my own personal experience, what some of us need is a little less daylight than we already have and a little more time to rest and sleep. I could for myself ask no greater pleasure than a whole month of rest in a nice dark place where the lack of daylight would give me time to rest up for the leisure life of a mother. As for the children, I would ask Mr. Hardie if he has ever tried putting little children to sleep in a bedroom whose only windows face the west after a hot Summer day, one hour before standard time? If he has ever seen what effect force has in this connection, and I challenge him to prove to me any good effects of it on either the children or their parent. I would suggest to the lovers of daylight saving that they save the daylight at the end of the day when it would do them the most good. With freshened energies from sleep, what vim they could put in work or play the few hours before breakfast and what appetities they would have! This would allow the children to go to sleep when they do go to bed peacefully, not worn out with mentally and physically, and as for us mothers I wonder if an hour less worry at night would mean anything in our leisure life.

STILL ANOTHER MOTHER.

DAYLIGHT SAVING

To the Editor:—According to a report in a recent issue of your paper, a delegation of merchants from the retail section of the Chamber of Commerce appeared before the public works committee of the City Council and were supposed to voice the views of the merchants of the city in opposition to daylight saving.

We believe that there is a strong division of opinion among the merchants on the matter, and that the delegation in question by no means represented the majority opinion—in fact little more than themselves.

In view of the fact that Alderman Woodward, who is the business agent of the Retail Clerks' Association, has always expressed the desire of the members to confer with the merchants on any question affecting their joint welfare, and considering that there are probably ten clerks affected to one employer, we trust that the matter will be left open until the rest of the merchants as well as the clerks have been heard from.

The benefits of daylight saving to the employed class are very considerable, and after all the public vote stands in favor of it, and any change is a matter for all.

RETAIL CLERK.
Victoria, March 22, 1924.

GERMAN IMMIGRATION

To the Editor:—In one sentence Mr. Slavin refers to the German as being as industrious as any British, Scotch or Irish descent. I would like to ask Mr. Slavin if the word British only applies to the English. I would also like to hear a definition of the word British; how it originated. True, Mr. Editor, the German is an industrious, clever, and not forgetting an unscrupulous rascal. Supposing, as Mr. Slavin says, we let them come into Canada, will you make Canadians of them? Of a few I should say yes, but of the majority, no. The last war proved that, and who in that war gave the U.S.A. most trouble? the German. You see, the States did not make Americans of the big majority of them. During the Great War, before the States came in, the Kaiser referred to the big number of Germans in the States, to Mr. Gerard, the American Ambassador, warning Mr. Gerard to be careful as there was 18,000,000 Germans in the States and loyal to the Fatherland. So you see, Mr. Editor, they were poor citizens to the States. During the Great War I was for six months on patrol in a cyclist corps in the Old Country and the bulk of spies that were rounded up had naturalization papers—the most dangerous culprits. Again, a poor citizen for a country. Once a German always a German, it is taught in them from childhood and will take a lot of knocking out of them. You may find exceptions, but the majority are for Deutschland ueber alles.

One that knows them.
INTERESTED.

TO BE HANGED

Montreal, March 24.—To-morrow morning at sunrise Wilfrid St. Onge, twenty-two will be hanged at Bordeaux jail here for the murder of Nestor Gabrilovitch, an old cobbler, in his store here on April 1, 1922.

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SPECIAL SERVICES FOR NEW BISHOP

St. Andrew's Cathedral Marks Advent of Bishop O'Donnell

Large congregations attended St. Andrew's Cathedral yesterday morning and evening for the special services conducted in connection with the arrival of the new Bishop of the See. Low Mass was said by Most Rev. H. J. O'Leary, Archbishop of Edmonton at 8 a.m. and at 9.30 Low Mass was said by the Most Rev. A. A. Sinnott, Archbishop of Winnipeg.

At the 11 o'clock service the new Bishop, Right Rev. Thos. O'Donnell sang his first Solemn Pontificial High Mass, assisted by Right Rev. Mgr. Leterme as assistant priest, Rev. Fathers McCann and Cline of Toronto as Deacons of Honor and, Very Rev. Dean Gehl of Hamilton as Deacon of the Mass. Rev. Father O'Brien who has come from the East to settle here, acted as sub-deacon. An impressive sermon was preached by the Archbishop of Winnipeg.

At the evening service at 7.30 the sermon was preached by Rev. Michael Cline of Toronto, and Solemn Pontifical Benediction was pronounced by the Most Rev. Archbishop of Edmonton, assisted by Rev. Father Sheelen of Saanich and Rev. Father O'Brien.

MERCHANTS BEGIN DRIVE TO-MORROW

Will Endeavor to Add to the Membership of Retailers' Body

Canvassing of retailers of Victoria in order to add to the present membership of the Retail Merchants' Association branch organization here, will begin Tuesday morning. Reports from canvassers will be turned into headquarters not later than 6 o'clock to-morrow evening, it was decided at a meeting held to-day.

Organizer E. R. Gordon and Hardy, working in co-operation with the merchants of Victoria in their drive, have taken matters in hand, and are doing all in their power to bring the realization of the need of organization to all retailers.

"If once we can get merchants to realize just what the association can do for them in saving money, there will be no difficulty in building up the organization," said Mr. Hardy.

"The Retail Merchants' Association was started by retailers, operated by retailers for twenty-five years, and supported by retailers, and all for their own convenience and protection," stated Mr. Gordon.

Canvassers chosen from the executive body of the Retail Merchants' Association here will begin work this afternoon, and to-morrow, with teams of helpers. Pamphlets have been prepared, setting out the reasons why merchants should take advantage of the association and work on a co-operative basis. All plans are in readiness for an extensive campaign, and the best results are expected.

RAILROAD SHOPMEN MEET IN MONTREAL

Montreal, March 24—With an attendance of 140 delegates, representing 35,000 railroad shopmen from coast to coast, the fifth convention of Division No. 4, Railway Employees' Department of the American Federation of Labor, opened in Montreal this morning.

Mayor Martin, in welcoming the delegates, avowed his union sympathies, saying he favored unions as protecting the weak. Bankers, lawyers and merchants all were forming organizations, but when it came to labor, efforts were made to break these organizations.

"You must stick together," he told the men.

The mayor advised the convention to obtain more labor representation in the Government, Federal, Provincial and Municipal.

He also pointed out that a great fault of labor was that it did not put enough aside for old age.

J. J. Denis Urging Reforms of Senate

Ottawa, March 24—J. J. Denis, Liberal, Joliette, Que., intends to move in the House of Commons that the Senate as at present appointed and constituted is not of the greatest advantage to Canada.

Last year Mr. Denis made a motion calling for an elective Senate.

OBITUARY

The death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital Saturday morning of Mrs. Annie M. Sturdy, widow of Frederick Sturdy, aged seventy years. The funeral will be held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday at 2 p.m.

The funeral of James Patrick Carroll, who passed away at the family residence last Friday, took place this morning, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 8.50 o'clock. Ten minutes later Mass was celebrated at St. Andrew's Cathedral by Father Ambrose O'Brien. Relatives and many friends were in attendance and the many beautiful flowers testified to the many friendships which the late Mr. Carroll had made in this city. The pallbearers were: Messrs J. A. McLellan, Harry Murphy, Geo. Pirrie, G. L. Patton, Geo. North and H. F. Shade. The burial service at the graveside, Ross Bay Cemetery, was conducted by Rev. Father E. B. Wood.

There passed away at an early hour this morning, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Miss Thomasina Forsyth Donald, R.N.C.N., age thirty-two years. She was born in Bellshill, Scotland, and had been a resident of this district for the past three years. The late Miss Donald is survived by her father and two sisters in Scotland, an uncle, Mr. R. W. Ward, and three cousins of 2628 Douglas Street, Victoria. The remains will rest at the Sands Funeral Chapel and the funeral will be announced later.

The death occurred yesterday of William Dunderdale, aged seventy-one years. He was a native of Lincolnshire, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past thirteen years. The funeral service will be held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 2.30.

WITNESS REFUSES TO TESTIFY BEFORE U.S. SENATORS

Washington, March 24—Another witness refused to testify before the Senate oil committee to-day just as the Senate was completing preparations to certify Harry F. Sinclair to the courts for contempt.

C. C. Chase, customs collector of El Paso and son-in-law of Albert B. Fall, declined to answer any questions propounded to him on the ground it might tend to incriminate him. He had been referred to in previous testimony as having approached Price McKinney, of Cleveland, with a request that McKinney represent himself as having loaned $100,000 to Fall. Chase's refusal came near the end of a committee meeting in which half a dozen witnesses were examined on as many subjects, and just before the case of Sinclair was formally reported to the Senate with a committee recommendation that the facts be passed along to the district attorney. Committee members were unable to say whether the same course would be followed in the case of Chase.

While the Senate was considering the Sinclair resolution brought in by the committee, Government counsel in the oil suits returned from the west, conferred with President Coolidge and announced that criminal proceedings in the case would begin before a grand jury here about April 10.

NOT AN ATTACK ON B.C. SAYS EDITOR

Maclean's Editor Explains Object of Article

The recent article on British Columbia's financial situation, published in Maclean's Magazine, is not in any sense an attack on the Government of British Columbia, J. N. Rutledge, associate editor of Maclean's Magazine, writes in a letter received by the Chamber of Commerce.

"The article is rather a striking arraignment," he says, "of the final situation of the Province, charging that the Province has $73,000,000 of debt and $64,000,000 of guarantees to be carried by a population of 600,000.

"You will, of course, realize that this article is not in any sense an attack on this Government or Province or any province. It is an honest effort to make some serious dangers known and in making them known to help to overcome these dangers."

$75,000 Robbery In Los Angeles

Los Angeles, March 24.—Thieves early to-day robbed the Robbins Jewelry and Clothing Company of jewels and clothes valued at $75,000, according to a report made to the police. To avoid a burglar alarm system the robbers cut a hole through it and loaded it into an automobile, investigating officers said.

GREAT WEST LIFE CONFERENCE HERE

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of the members during the convention.

CHIEF OFFICIALS HERE

Of the officials to attend, General Manager C. C. Ferguson of Winnipeg, has been here for some time, M. H. Bingeman, agency department, arrived yesterday afternoon, and others attending will include A. Jardine, secretary; A. J. D. Morgan, comptroller, and H. A. Cameron, publicity, F. P. Hayden, superintendent, and A. H. McLeod, assistant superintendent of the Central Division agency, will accompany the head office party.

The Great West Life was established in 1892, and has become one of the largest Canadian companies. Its business in force is over $350,000,000. The year 1923 was a particularly good one from the point of view of growth. Its business in the United States increased over seventy per cent. last year, in comparison with 1922. In North Dakota, where competition is keen, the Great West Life established the unique record, for the first time in life insurance history, of being able to lead all companies operating there in new business production.

IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, March 24—This morning the members of the party, as the guests of the city of Vancouver, saw the city's waterfront, her harbor facilities, grain terminals, shipping operations and her surrounding scenic splendor from the decks of the Canadian Pacific Ss. Princess Charlotte. At 10.30 they transferred to the Ss. Princess Alice and sailed for Victoria. Mayor Owen and several members of the City Council accompanied the guests on the harbor trip. A. J. D. Morgan of Winnipeg, comptroller, expressed appreciation of the city's hospitality.

The party will return to Vancouver on Thursday night, many of the delegates planning to remain here a few days en route to their eastern homes.

150,000 Visited British Squadron At Melbourne

Melbourne, March 24 (Canadian Press cable)—The British special service squadron was visited by 150,000 people here yesterday, according to local estimates. The squadron will continue its cruise around the Empire, leaving to-day for Hobart, Tasmania.

New York, March 24.—Jack Kearns, manager of heavyweight Jack Dempsey, announced to-day he was considering a $1,000,000 motion picture offer and two proposals for title fights, one from Tex Rickard and the other from James J. Coffroth, California promoter.

PLAN TO CONTROL TRAFFIC IN ARMS

League of Nations Disarmament Committee Meets in Paris

Paris, March 24.—The League of Nations disarmament committee assembled here to-day to find a substitute for the St. Germain Convention for the control of the private manufacture of and traffic in arms.

The committee will take the best features of the St. Germain agreement, which the United States was unable to ratify because it provided for League control, and work them in with the principles advanced in the project presented by Marquis de Magaz of Spain and the proposals of Colonel Carnegie of Great Britain.

SAFEST P.G.E. BID ACCEPTED, PROCTOR TELLS COMMISSIONER

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Palmer Bros., Mr. Proctor said, had demanded rental on equipment used in the work. He had calculated the rental involved, set it opposite the Northern Construction Company's bid and found that the latter was the more satisfactory offer. The Palmer Company's bid set no limit on the cost of the work and was, therefore, a most "dangerous" offer, Mr. Proctor declared emphatically.

Mr. McNeill recalled that the work done by the Northern Construction Company had cost $7,400,000, on which the company was paid a commission of $398,000.

"So if you had accepted the Palmer Company's bid you would have saved $98,000?" Mr. McNeill asked.

"I might have lost $2,000,000," Mr. Proctor retorted, adding that he would not have had the same control over the Palmer Company's work as he had over the work of the Northern Construction Company.

Mr. Proctor admitted that he had objected to some features of the P.G.E. contract which could have been simplified and improved in some particulars. The contract, he stated, had been prepared in the Attorney-General's Department.

ASHCROFT-CLINTON LINE

Mr. Proctor said he had found it impossible to live up to the provisions of the contract strictly.

Mr. MacNeill concluded from Mr. Proctor's evidence that the Province had lost large sums of money as a result of the Northern Construction Company's contract. To this, Government counsel objected vigorously.

Mr. MacNeill persisted that officials of the Railway Department had been too favorable to the Northern Construction Company and had given it many advantages to which it was not entitled. The accumulative effect of those favors had been extremely serious, he declared, and had cost the country large sums.

Mr. MacNeill asked witness if it would not have been best if the Government had obtained the advice of experts before starting the work rather than obtaining it after $7,000,000 had been spent.

Mr. Proctor replied that he had felt from the start that the line from Squamish north to Clinton should be scrapped and a link between Clinton and the C.N.R. and C.P.R. lines at Ashcroft installed. This plan, he stated, had been investigated by experts before the contract was awarded. He still felt that the Clinton-Ashcroft link was the best plan.

Mr. Proctor said he hardly knew a member of the Northern Construction Company's sub-contractors, and did not know whether they had ever done any work for the company before the P.G.E. project started.

LETTER FROM PREMIER

It was brought out that Mr. Proctor had shown to the Northern Construction Company a letter from Mr. Oliver urging a reduction in the company's prices, but adding that if no reduction could be obtained the work must proceed anyway.

"It's an invitation for them to refuse a reduction," said Sir Charles Tupper, K.C., Provincial Party counsel, adding that Mr. Proctor had "shown his hand" to the company.

"Wasn't that a serious blunder," Mr. MacNeill asked.

"I don't admit it," said Mr. Proctor, insisting that his action had been businesslike and natural.

FOUGHT FOR LOW PRICES

Mr. Proctor explained that he had fought the contractors for three years to keep their prices to the lowest possible level.

Mr. MacNeill questioned Mr. Proctor closely about the increase in prices allowed to the contractors after the railway work had started.

It developed that these increases had been allowed because the contractors had been put to enormous excess cost as a result of the fact that they had been forced to carry supplies for long distances because installation of the Deep Creek bridge had been delayed.

Mr. Proctor said that in considering the price increases he had considered himself an arbitrator. As the question was one of engineering he had not taken it up with the Attorney-General's Department. He had discussed the matter with the Premier.

"Well you wouldn't discuss questions of law with the Premier?" Mr. MacNeill asked.

"Why not?" Mr. Oliver interjected amid laughter.

Mr. MacNeill suggested that Mr. Proctor should have discussed the question of price increase with the legal department, but Mr. Proctor persisted that this was unnecessary.

Mr. MacNeill suggested that in making increases in prices to the railway builders Mr. Proctor had disobeyed the instructions of the directors of the railway. Mr. Proctor denied this.

100 Germans Arrive in Canada To Take Land

Montreal, March 24.—About twenty expert toymakers with their families are expected to come out from Germany within a few weeks in connected with the proposal to start a toy factory in the province of Quebec, probably at Hull, according to an official of the White Star Line.

About 100 German immigrants passed through here over the weekend bound for Western points.

VIEWS DIFFER AS TO PAYMENTS BY THE GERMANS

British Members of Reparations Committee of Experts Visit London

Paris, March 24—The present visit to London of Reginald McKenna, Sir Robert Kindersley and Sir J. C. Stamp, British members of the First Reparations Committee of Experts, has given rise to reports that fundamental difficulties have cropped out in the work of the experts and that the British representatives have gone to consult their Government.

It was stated officially last evening that while different opinions had been expressed in the course of the discussions, the reports now being drafted would be unanimously signed by both committees.

It is felt here that the presence in London of Sir J. Bradbury, British member of the Reparations Commission, simultaneously with the three British experts, means that the British experts are not in agreement with the findings of the majority in the schedule of payments for Germany during the next two years. The question of a moratorium is reported to be the point upon which opinions diverge.

F. TIBBOTT, OF VANCOUVER, DIED

Body of Song Writer Found in Woods in Point Grey

Vancouver, March 24—Disabilities which occurred during his service in the army overseas are thought to have proved fatal to Fred Tibbott, well-known Vancouver song writer, whose body was found in a bush in Point Grey on Sunday evening.

Mr. Tibbott was subject to fainting spells as the result of his war experiences. It is thought that at last such an attack proved fatal.

He was a son of David A. Tibbott of The Daily Province advertising department and was a talented song writer. He was part author of "Sleepy Town," "Vancouver Song," "Cat's Whiskers" and "That's Why I'm Longing for You."

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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DOUBLE LIABILITY CALL IS RESISTED

Some of Shareholders of Home Bank Argue Case in Court

Toronto, March 24.—Argument will be heard here on April 1 before Charles Garrow, K.C., Master of the Supreme Court of Ontario and Official Referee, on the claim of the liquidators of the Home Bank against certain shareholders who are disputing double liabilities.

R. A. Reid, who represents a number of Quebec shareholders, declares that "so far as my clients are concerned, we shall pay the double liability only when we are ordered to do so by a decision of the Privy Council in London."

The three chief grounds that will be taken for objection are:

1. That the character of the Home Bank was not legally granted.
2. That the bank "trafficked" in its own stock and the stock of other banks, contrary to the Bank Act.
3. That false statements of the finances of the bank were given out and the bank made to appear solvent when in reality it was insolvent.

ONTARIO SCHOOL CASE IS TO BE TAKEN TO LONDON

Toronto, March 24. — The Privy Council in London is to be asked to make a decision on the separate school grants in Ontario. Premier Ferguson stated in the Legislature that the two sides were agreed this would settle the matter for all time. The Premier secured second reading for a bill making changes in the Education Act.

CITIZENS OF TOKIO THANK CANADIANS

Letter Tells of Gratitude For Aid Extended After Big Earthquake

Ottawa, March 24 (Canadian Press)—The gratitude of the citizens of Tokio for Canada's practical help after the earthquake of September, 1923, is expressed in a letter signed by 500,000 persons and just received by the Governor-General. Accompanying it is an album, the pages of which are covered with names and soiled with the dust of the devastated streets of Tokio.

"We have been impressed more than ever by the fact that all men are brothers throughout the world," the letter says. It apologizes for the fact that the documents became very soiled as they passed from hand to hand and conveys the hope that "they will help you to realize our sentiments of intense thankfulness."

The scheme originated among the students of Tokio, who formed the league for collecting signatures, and was free of official influence.

The album will be placed on exhibition here, and finally will be deposited in the archives of Canada.

CANADA'S DEBTS $500 PER CAPITA

Grattan O'Leary Totals Federal, Provincial and Municipal Obligations

Says 500,000 Persons Living on Taxes of the Rest

Toronto, March 24.—"It is a conservative estimate that something like 500,000 persons in this country are living on the take sof the rest of us," declared Grattan O'Leary, Ottawa newspaper man, before the Canadian Credit Men's Association here Saturday afternoon.

"The national debt of Canada, which s tood at $1,382,000,000 on Armistice Day, is to-day $2,400,000,000," said Mr. O'Leary. "In other words, we have increased the public debt of Canada more since the armistice than we increased it during the whole of the war. And this is not all. There are enormous railway securities which the Dominion of Canada has guaranteed, and which bring the gross public debt of the Dominion to $3,219,000,000. According to a statement of the Royal Bank of Canada, the aggregate of the debts of our nine province is $428,000,000. Therefore, adding the debts of the provinces to the debt of the Dominion, and including also the debts of the large cities, you get the alarming fact that we have a total debt of $500 for every living soul in the Dominion."

ARMAND LAVERGNE STATES HIS VIEWS

Quebec Nationalist Says Canada Should Not be Melting Pot

Montreal, March 24. — Armand Lavergne, Quebec Nationalist leader, spoke here Saturday night at a banquet given by the Liberal-Conservatives of Montreal in honor of Hon. Rudolphe Monty and Hon. Andre Fateaux, who were Members of the late Meighen Government.

Mr. Meighen, who presided, described the events of "signal and historic importance in the history of the Conservative Party of Canada."

"Moral courage is so rare in the province of Quebec that when I was invited to this banquet I decided to come," said Mr. Lavergne. "We of French Canada had hoped that our sixty-five deputies would do something for us; but nothing has come of it. In Messrs. Monty and Fateaux, at least, we have a fine example of moral courage.

"The conscription law was not Meighen's. His was the law of exemption, but this is an old matter. We Liberals of conviction and contradiction are fed up with unfulfilled promises and it is with heavy hearts that we see thousands of our own going to the United States. Our industries are going to the dogs; therefore we greet the man who has the courage to preach protection, not only here, but in the West, where it is unpopular. I have always admiration for the man who preaches unpopular things."

NO MELTING POT

Mr. Lavergne spoke of racial matters. With his head thrown back, his eyes closed and his arms outspread, he passionately poured out the grievances which, in his opinion, the French-Canadians have. "We want no pale imitation of the United States here," he exclaimed. "We want no melting pot. We, the French-Canadians, have treated you English Canadians as brothers since 1867. For 150 years our fathers have fought together and bled together. Even if you can not treat us as brothers, at least you should treat us as associates. Have you always been just? No, I will say. Have you always been generous to us? I am accused of being an extremist. I f I love Ontario better than I love France, then I am an extremist. If I love Canada better than England, then I am an extremist. I am a Canadian of the French tongue and I hope to God there are Canadians of the English tongue."

ENOUGH FOR WEST

By giving in to the demands of the Westerners, he declared, Canada would lose its national characteristics and "pale into a race of the melting pot." Enough sacrifices, he cried, had been made for the West; it was time to look after the East.

POSITION OF FARMERS

The economic ills from which the farmers were suffering were attributed by Mr. Monty to the fact that the United States farmers had been protected by their Government, whereas the Canadian farmer had been neglected and suffered from the effects of the Fordney tariff. The Conservative Party was willing to accept those Liberals who believed in the policy of protection of Canadian industries.

MORE THAN PRAIRIES

The Western Provinces had been given three transcontinental railways, which meant tremendous costs from which the country was still suffering. Mr. Fateaux declared in advocating national unity. It was essential to remember, he said, that Canada did not start at Fort William and end in the Rocky Mountains.

COMMITTEE OF M.P.'S TO CONSIDER VETERANS' PROBLEMS

Ottawa, March 24.—A permanent committee within the Progressive Party in the House of Commons will consider problems of returned men, especially those who have settled on the land under the Soldiers' Land Settlement Act. Alfred Speakman, member for Red Deer, Alberta, is the secretary.

There is a resolution on the order paper asking that a committee of the whole House be appointed to deal with the question. If it is formed, the Progressive committee will act in an advisory capacity.

MORE ACTIVE SHARE IN PUBLIC LIFE BY PRINCE NOW URGED

London, March 24 (Canadian Press Cable)—Exhortations addressed to Premier MacDonald to endeavor to influence the Prince of Wales to be less venturesome on horseback were derided by two prominent Sunday papers here.

The Sunday Times said it was time people ceased trying to play grandmother to the Prince, "although he has too much humor to be disturbed by objurgations that are half lecture and half cackle."

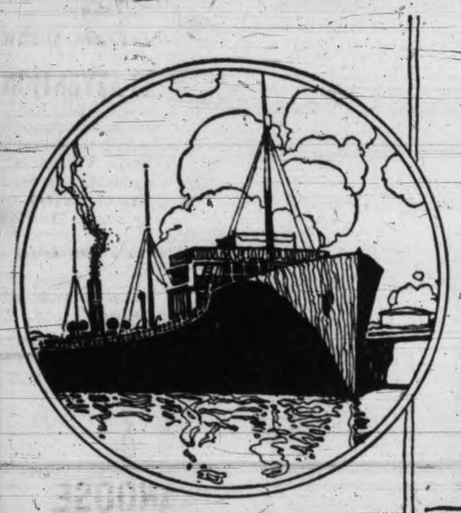
The Sunday Express declared that if Premier MacDonald interfered he should devise a method whereby the Prince could take a more active part in public life. "We ought to provide him," said the paper, "with opportunities more interesting than laying foundations."

YOUNG MAN IS FREED FROM JAIL

Saskatoon, March 24.—Howard Linsen, twenty-three, of Vanscoy, Saskatchewan, who was sentenced at the February assizes here to two months in jail on conviction on a charge laid by a fifteen-year-old girl, was vindicated Saturday when the Minister of Justice ordered his immedate release from jail. The girl who accused him was tried in juvenile court here for perjury last week by Judge Ethel MacLachlan, found guilty of giving false evidence at Linsen's trial and committed to the Children's Welfare Home until she is twenty-one years old. Affidavits from the Vanscoy district, prepared by a committee which never relaxed its fight for Linsen, resulted in the perjury charge.

TWO TORONTO BOYS DROWNED

Toronto, March 24. — Falling through the ice on a pond in High Park here Saturday, Roy McGown, eight, and Elmo Gillespie, nine, were drowned. One of the boys was reaching into a hole for a tin can they had been playing with when the ice gave way. The other tried to rescue his chum and also fell in.



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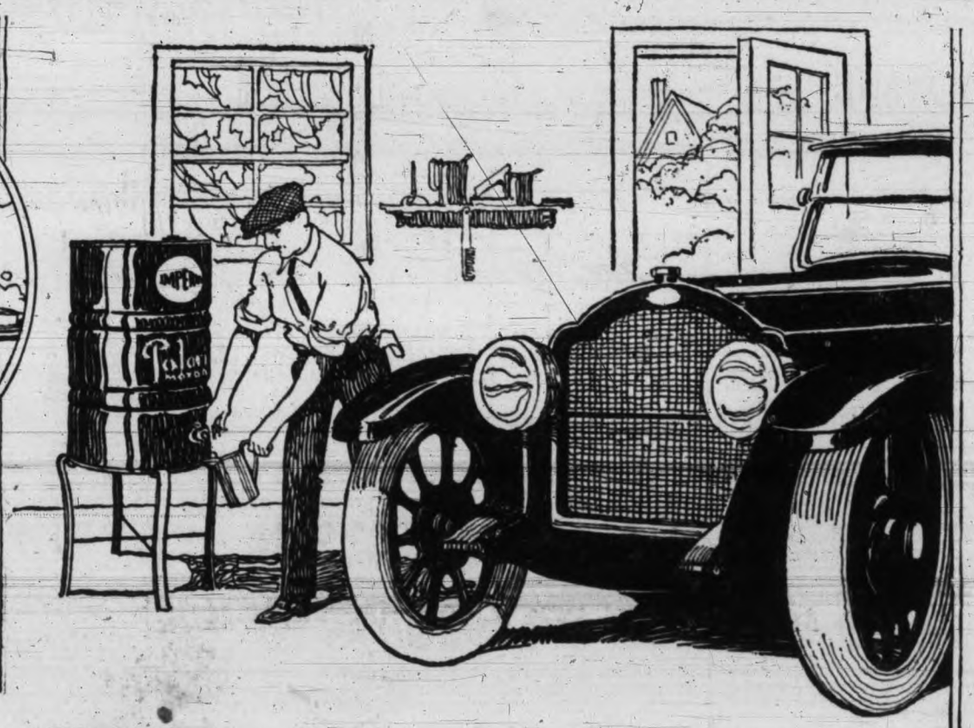

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Chevrolet (Other Mod.)	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
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Columbia (Other Mod.)	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
Cleveland	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
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Dodge Bros. (Other Mod.)	IPM	IPM	IPT	IPT
Durant (4 cyl.)	IPM	IPM	IPT	IPT
Durant (6 cyl.)	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
Essex	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
Ford	IPO	IPO	★	IPT
Ford (Commercial)	IPO	IPO	★	IPT
Franklin (1923-22)	IPS	IPS	IPT	IPT
Franklin (Other Mod.)	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
Gray Dort	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
Haynes (6 cyl.)	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
Haynes (12 cyl.)	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
Hupmobile	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
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Liberty	IPM	IPM	IPT	IPT
Lincoln	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
McLaughlin (1923)	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
McLaughlin (1922)	IPM	IPM	IPT	IPT
McLaughlin (Other Mod.)	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
Marmon	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
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Mitchell	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
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Nash	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
Oakland	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
Oldsmobile (6 cyl.) (8 cyl.)	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
Oldsmobile (Other Mod.)	IPH	IPM	IPX	IPT
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Packard	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
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Saxon	IPM	IPM	IPT	IPT
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Stutz	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
Vauxhall (25 H.P.)	IPH	IPH	IPT	IPT
Vauxhall (30-95 H.P.)	IPX	IPH	IPT	IPT
Velie (Cont. Eng.)	IPM	IPM	IPT	IPT
Velie (Other Mod.)	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
Wescott (Mod. D-48)	IPH	IPM	IPT	IPT
Wescott (Other Mod.)	IPM	IPM	IPT	IPT
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CHEAP MONEY WILL NOT DO B.C. ANY HARM

JOHN MOODY, authority on business, says that the demand for labor is definitely increasing and straws continue to suggest a general trend towards extravagance.

Money is so plentiful in the East that its owners have had to cut their interest rates on it in order to get it loaned out. At the end of the week the call rate was down to 2½ per cent. To-day it is around 3 per cent. If the soldiers' bonus finally passes the Senate at Washington, upwards of $2,000,000,000 will be distributed to returned soldiers in the United States.

Cheap and easy money usually brings what economists call inflation. Most other people call it good times while it lasts. With a mining boom under way, a growing demand for the use of our natural resources and a well-established tourist popularity, British Columbia is well placed to benefit, if the rest of the continent has another outbreak of spending.

CANADA PICKING THE RIGHT ONES

IMMIGRANTS may not be coming to Canada as fast as some people want, but the ones this country is getting are the pick of those coming from Europe. Kenneth L. Roberts tells why in The Saturday Evening Post.

"In Antwerp I talked with a representative of the United States Public Health Service who, by a special arrangement, examines European emigrants going to both the United States and Canada," Mr. Roberts writes. "The difference between them, he said made him ill. Canada chooses the immigrants that she wants; the United States takes anybody that comes. Consequently Canada gets good, husky, upstanding people; while the United States gets the runts and culls."

The emigrants to United States meet the quarantine requirements, Mr. Roberts explains, but from an immigration standpoint many of them are very bad because of their countless years of rotten living conditions. Not a man in Congress would buy the scrubbiest bull or shoat if he wanted to breed farm stock, he says, and yet, by their failure to select only the immigrants that United States needs, they are letting in the scrubbiest man material from Central Europe to assist in perpetuating the American people.

Mr. Roberts' statement indicates that Canada's immigration department is functioning as Canadians intend it should function.

LABOR PARTIES HAVE NOT APPEALED TO THIS CONTINENT

ABSENCE of class barriers and the freedom with which individuals may express their social and ecoonmic points of view through the existing political parties, have not provided a fertile field on this continent for the creation of a class labor party.

Establishment of a Canadian Labor party is announced as the object of a conference to be held in Vancouver next month. Similar efforts, inspired by the success of socialist and labor political organizations in Europe, have been made periodically in Canada and the United States, but they have failed to make anything in the nature of a popular appeal to Canadian and American citizens. At Ottawa now there are two members who classify themselves as labor, but their election was due to local conditions in their constituencies. There is nothing to indicate that their place will be any more permanent than has been that of isolated labor representatives in the Canadian House of Commons in the past.

In a country where union men earn wages which are higher than the incomes of the average professional man, and where political preferment is open to all, it is difficult to make the labor man believe that he could have anything to gain through independent action.

NATURE'S OWN VANITY CASE

AS a result of a campaign of education, the rouge box and lip stick are reported to be disappearng from the high schools in the East. Intensive health instruction has been made a part of the domestic science and civics courses.

To replace the old artificial aids to beauty, the Child Health Association has compiled the following vanty case for the younger generation:

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Rouge for the Checks—Cream kissed carrots. Use yellow carrots cooked in white milk twice a week for one month at least.

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Eau de Bain (Water of Cleanliness)—Mix with pure soap and apply with a clean cloth to the entire body as often as desired. At least three applications a week are necessary for a fresh skin. Vigorous rubbing with a towel should follow each application.

Lip Stick—This famous lip stick consists solely of carmine beets.

DEMANDS FROM GOVERNMENTS MANY; SO ARE EMPLOYEES

PREMIER KING in dealing with the question of the growth of the civil service in Canada is facing a problem that is not peculiar to Canada. The enormous development of government through the extension of Governmental activities in the western nations has been subject of comment for years.

People of the United States have just discovered that 3,400,000 persons are employed in the public service, local and national of their country, with salaries aggregating $4,000,000,000.

In Canada there are 55,000 employees of the Dominion Government with salaries running to over $60,000,000. Figures are not available for the total number of persons in the public service in Canada, including municipal and Provincial employees, but the proportion is probably the same as in United States as the scope of the service given the public by the various departments in the two countries is almost identical.

There is not criticism in this for the Government service of the country, as its extension has been in response to public demand! But the public in demanding new services from its governments usually overlooks, until the bill comes in, the fact that it has to pay.

The American figures show that every group of eleven workers more than sixteen years old has to support one public official. That is, the salary of one official has to be put up by these eleven persons. At an average government salary of only $1,200 a year, this would be more than $100 a year that every worker has to pay for the support of government employees who are rendering the services he demands from his government.

Oh Shah!

It seems like old times again to find Harry K. Thaw's name in the newspaper headlines.

The latest idea in law enforcement comes from Kansas City where Judge Roberts has started the fashion of sentencing drunks to church instead of to jail. "Fining a man reacts on his family," the judge explained. "The new method should do some good."

The first thing that attracted a local visitor's attention at the hotel he registered at on his trip to Los Angeles was the sign which said, "You're lucky to live in Los Angeles." After surviving the motorists the first day he said he certainly thought he was.

Leave the clocks alone this year, Mr. Aldermen and deserve the thanks of our merchants, who need all the business they can get, and the mothers of young children, for whom daylight saving is a delusion and a snare. No other community in the Province is likely to tinker with its clocks this year. Why make Victoria the only place to do so?

He who lets the world, or his own portion of it, choose his plan of life for him, has no need of any other faculty than the ape-like one of imitation. He who chooses his plan for himself, employs all his faculties. He must use observation to see, reasoning and judgment to foresee, activity to gather materials for decision, discrimination to decide, and when he has decided, firmness and self-control to hold to his deliberate decision. And these qualities he requires and exercises exactly in proportion as the part of his conduct which he determines according to his own judgment and feelings is a large one. It is possible that he might be guided in some good path and kept out of harm's way without any of these things. But what will be his comparative worth as a human being? It really is of importance, not only what men do, but also what manner of men they are that do it.

JOHN STUART MILL.

IN A CLASS BY ITSELF

From The Vancouver Evening Sun.

"What is Victoria doing?" asks the Victoria Times. Victoria does not have to do anything. It simply has to be—Victoria.

THE STARRY NIGHT

By Wilfrid Thorley, in "Cloud-Cuckoo-Land"

Ten thousand warriors on those fields
Lift up their spears and flash their shields.

Ten thousand warriors on those plains
Halt their swift steeds with silver reins.

Their tents are pitched upon the slope
With silver pegs and silver rope.

When heaven shakes I am afraid,
For thunder is their cannonade.
And when the lightning cracks the night
'Tis their ten thousand spears in flight.

Army Orders Like Prayers

Down Through the Years They Come With Very Little Change; Some Old Canadian Orders Are Brought to Light

A SAMPLE of company orders during the war of the American Revolution is of special interest to Canadians recently only too familiar with such efforts in composition. It is for March 24, 1777; the company is the right flank company ofthe King's Royal Regiment of New York the colonel of which was Sir John Johnson (a right flank company was in theory always commanded by the colonel of the regiment, though a captain-lieutenant did the work); the place is Lachine, close to Montreal; the regiment is part of the defence of Canada and is soon to make an expedition southward into the Mohawk valley.

"March 24, 1777—Parole, Quebec; countersign, Orleans. For guard to-morrow one sergeant and ten private men: Ens. Crothers, officer of the day. A regimental courtmartial to sit to-morrow morning at ten o'clock at the commanding officer's quarters; Lieut. Walker, president, Ens. Crothers, Ens. Crawford, members, to try such prisoners as may be brought before them."

So military routine orders have not greatly changed their character in the last 150 years. Someone has remarked that the church and the army are the two most conservative institutions in human society. It is true our prayers have not greatly altered in the last 1900 years, and it would shock some of our recent civilian soldiers to whom army language became as second nature and who revelled in its newness, to realize how closely it approximates to the army language of Queen Elizabeth's day. They can look it up for themselves in Shakespeare's "King Henry V."

This little yellow-leaved notebook, the orderly book of Sir John Johnson, now resting a priceless treasure somewhere in the United States, affords us many such a familiar order. Here is a camp order of a few weeks previous:

"The camp equipage to be examined and kept in good condition. The troops likewise will hold themselves in readiness to march on the shortest notice; they are frequently to be assembled on their regimental alarm posts and march to the alarm post of the brigade when the weather will permit. They will practice marching on snowshoes as soon as they receive them. Reports are to be made by all the British to Major-General Philips and by all Germans to Major-General Riedesel where the alarm posts are, both of the regiments and the brigades in order to be forwarded to the commander-in-chief. A statement likewise to be given in of the camp equipage. Reports are also to be made to the quartermaster-general at Montreal from each corps of the number of boats they have in charge specifying their condition and how furnished with oars, setting-poles, etc.

"(Signed) E. FOY Dep. Adj.-General"

THAT has a very familiar ring about it, but what about this, O ye subalterns with Paris leave?

"General Orders by Major-General Phillips

"Montreal, December 5, 1776

"Officers coming to Montreal upon leave for a longer time than two days are to give in their names to the adjutant of the week making to what time their leave of absence extends and by whom given.

"(Signed) AR. JAS. POMEROY."

Sir John Johnson, a passionate loyalist, was the son of Sir William Johnson, famous in earlier border history as the only man on whom the British Government could rely to manage the Mohawks. Sir William had come, a poor but strapping lad from Ireland, and had risen to a commanding position in the country of his adoption, had obtained an unrivalled influence over the Mahawks and through them the Iroquois in general, had been made a baronet and presented with a handsome pension by the King for extremely valuable services during the Seven Years' War, and had died the year hostilities broke out in the war of American independence. Sir John was already a knight, for strangely enough, the patent of the baronetcy conferred upon his father contained a clause which granted a knighthood to the eldest son of each baronet upon his coming of age—a striking proof of the unusual efforts of George II to do honor to this remarkable man. Sir John, unlike his father, not desirous of wielding influence over the Indians, but a magnetic leader, commanded a regiment through the war, a regiment recruited from friends and neighbors of the Johnsons still retaining their loyalty, and the officers of which were intimates of himself and of his family. He ended his days a United Empire Loyalist, having suffered terribly at the hands of the rebels and bereft by the revolution of his inherited lands and property at Mount Johnson, Montreal, 1830.

PROOF FOR EINSTEIN THEORY

Watson Davis in Current History Magazine

EVENTS during 1923 must have been gratifying to Einstein. Most important was the confirmation by Dr. Charles E. St. John of the Mount Wilson Observatory of the third prediction of Einstein, that the lines of the solar spectrum are not identical in position with those due to incandescent samples of the same elements when observed on the earth and that the displacement is toward the red end of the spectrum. For the first time since 1919, when the Einstein theory first was brought to public attention through the favorable results of the British eclipse expeditions, the opportunity arose in the Fall of 1922 to observe another favorable total eclipse. Dr. W. W. Campbell and the Lick Observatory expedition traveled to Australia and brought back photographic plates which, after careful examination that occupied some months, showed that the deflection of the starlight while passing the sun is in accord with the second prediction of Einstein. Since the first prediction of the theory was the explanation of irregularities in the orbit of the planet Mercury, all three predictions of Einstein are now in a strong position.

ENGINES, HUMAN AND OTHERWISE

From Everyday Biology

No living creature can produce energy; it can only change it from one form to another. The green plant changes the energy of the sunlight into chemical energy; the animal changes the chemical energy of its food into locomotion and heat. A living creature, like an engine, is an energy-transformer. But it is also an accumulator, it can absorb energy acceleratively. Its secret is capitalization. When we are walking at the rate of four miles an hour, only half a second elapses from the time the heel is raised until the limb is swung forward and the foot is again planted on the ground. Yet in that half-second fifty-four engines have been started and stopped, speeded up and slowed down a countless number of times.

KEEPING UP WITH HIS FAMILY

From The Kansas City Star

"I see by the papers," says a Kansas City parent, "that my son, who is reported to have been spending the holidays with me at my home, is to return to college to-morrow."

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CHANGE FOOTBALL RULES

New York, March 24.—The abolition of all kicking tees, the advancement of the kick off from the forty-yard line to the centre of the field, an increase from two to five yards of the penalty for excess time out and decision to try for point after touchdown from the three instead of the five-yard lines were the most important measures approved by the national intercollegiate football rules committee Saturday.

OLD COUNTRY RUGBY

London, March 24 (Canadian Press Cable)—Games played in the Rugby Union over the week-end resulted as follows:

Penarth 13, Glamorgan Wanderers, 3.
Tredegar 5, Briton Ferry 3.
Mountain Ash 7, Pontypridd 3.
Skewen 16, Hill Harriers 3.
Bryn Mawr 9, Penylan 5.
Ebbvale 13, Glynneath 7.
Pontardawe 10, Bridgend 12.
Treorchy 9, Treherbert 9.
Moseley 36, Wolverhampton 5.
Camphill Old Edwardians 24, Handsworth 0.
Worcester 25, King's Heath 0.
Five Ways Old Edwardians 8, Stratford-on-Avon 5.
Sutton Coldfield 19, Bromsgrove 8.
Royal High-School 0, Gala 7.
Edinburgh Wanderers 5, Hillheadians 6.
Jed Forest 10, Watsonians 9.
Glasgow University 11, Greenock Wanderers 7.
Langholm 0, Kelso 7.
Melrose 8, Edinburgh Academicals 0.
Oatford Bridge 11, Wasps 9.
Cheltenham 3, Stroud 0.
Civil Service 36, Old Haileyburians 15.
Southend 8, Old Paulines 14.
Sale 16, Manchester 8.
Streatham 25, Old Storjerdians 0.
Liverpool 19, New Brighton 11.
Llanelhilith 9, Crumlin 6.
Risca 14, Machen 0.
Blackwood 5, Talywain 0
Blaenvon 8, New Bridge 6.
Abercorn 7, Resolven 6.
Exmouth 13, Cambourne 5.
Barnstaple 5, Newton 11.
Bedford 23, Old Millhillians 12.
Manchester University 32, Kersal 3.
Birmingham University 13, Birmingham 6.
Percy Park 0, Rockcliffe 0.

London, March 24.—Games played in the semi-finals of the Midland Cup over the week-end resulted as follows:

Coventry 0, Nuneaton 0.
Rugby 31, Old Edwardians 3.

Grass Hockey Game With Up-Islanders Finished a Draw

In one of the hardest-fought grass hockey games played in this city for some time the Victoria and Up-Island teams finished in a three-all draw. The game was fast from start to finish and provided plenty of excitement for the spectators.

From the start the visitors rushed the locals' goal and after a few minutes of play Dobell scored for them. Shortly afterwards Roberts duplicated the trick. Victoria came back strong and attacked and their efforts were at last rewarded when McIntyre placed a neat shot between the posts. A few minutes before half time Curtis-Hayward brought the visitors' total up to three by beating the Victoria goalie with a fast shot.

For the first twenty minutes of the final half the Victoria forwards pressed but they were unable to score. Ten minutes before time Barling scored two goals for the locals with well-placed shots. No further score was registered before the final whistle.

The teams were as follows:

Up-Island—Abbott, J. Abbott, Dermot Crofton, Price, Roberts, Springfoot, Bromilow, Curtis-Hayward, Porter (captain), Dobell, Williams.

Victoria—Stanier, Wilson, Hudson (captain), Adamson, Muncy, Bredin, Winsby, Baring, Macintyre, Prevost, Hodgson.

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—Hosiery, Main Floor

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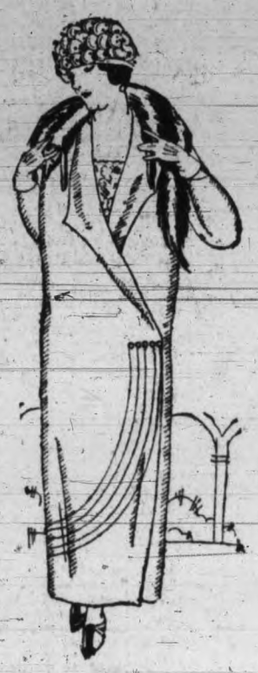

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—Mantles, First Floor

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—Children's, First Floor

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—Wash Goods, Main Floor

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Round Steak, per lb., 18¢ and	20¢
Shoulder Steak, per lb.	12¢
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Pork Steaks, per lb.	20¢
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—Lower Main Floor

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—Laces, Main Floor

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—Sweaters, First Floor

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—Corsets, First Floor

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—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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Smart Oxfords in Blucher style, brown and black and black calf and patent; sizes 11 to 2, pair **$4.00**

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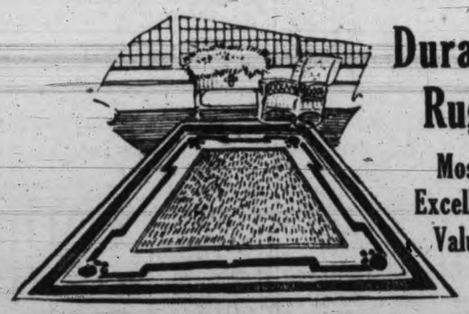
—Women's Shoes, First Floor



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—Carpets, Second Floor

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But something in your voice, my own,
A wistful tender undertone,
Said all you dared not speak.
My fame and gold a barrier stood
To separate us two,
And knowing that it always would
If I kept silent, as I should,
I reached my hand to you.

Forgive me if I seem too bold,
Forget me if I'm wrong;
Your voice and eyes and actions told
Of deep affection; should fame and gold
Keep us apart for long?
Should you go lonely down the years,
Should I shed useless anguished tears,
When with a word or two
The barrier is cast aside?
Forget your foolish, foolish pride
And claim your willing Leap Year bride,
And take her home with you.

—Ellie Tatum Diehnel.

For Milk Fund—At the special meeting of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., held at headquarters Saturday, March 22, it was decided to hold the entertainment in aid of the milk fund early in May.

Alkali in Shampoos Bad For Washing Hair

Do not use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much free alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It is inexpensive and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

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— IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN —

JACKIE COOGAN TO AID NEAR EAST

Boy Film Star to Head the Children's Crusade For Refugees

New York, March 24.—Jackie Coogan will forsake the movies for ten weeks this Summer in order to lead a modern "Children's Crusade" throughout the United States in an appeal to the children of America for a $1,000,000 shipload of foodstuffs for the destitute orphan children of the Near East, and then will sail in person to deliver the gifts to the Near East orphans in Greece, Palestine and Syria, it became known here today when Charles V. Vickrey, general secretary of the Near East relief, made public a letter from John H. (Jack) Coogan, Jackie's father, giving his consent to the trip.

"For two reasons," wrote Mr. Coogan, "I am glad to allow Jackie to represent the American children in this deserving cause.

"The first, of course, is that I feel the relief organization is doing one of the greatest pieces of child welfare work in the world, in which I am proud to have my son assist.

"But I have another reason, too—a more selfish one perhaps—I want Jackie to see and realize some of the hardships and suffering other children of his own age have had to endure, and I am sure that the sight of these thousands of destitute, fatherless and motherless children for whom your organization is caring cannot fail to bring home to him a realization of the common duty of all mankind to one another."

Jackie will start his campaign with a series of condensed milk appeals in the Pacific coast cities as soon as he finishes work on his present picture, "A Boy of Flanders." Similar campaigns for carload lots of milk, flour clothing and quinie will then be held across the continent.

Churches, Sunday schools, public schools, moving pictures, theatres, clubs and fraternal societies, together with children's organizations generally, throughout the continent will co-operate in the conducting of the campaign to secure the $1,000,000 ship cargo of foodstuffs.

The Boy Scouts organization, in addition to co-operating in the raising of the cargo, will greet Jackie in all of those cities through which he passes on his trip across the continent, just prior to his sailing.

The objective of the campaign is 100 carloads of foodstuffs. Oversea shipment will be made in the late Summer, it is said.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Coogan will accompany Jackie on his trip to the Near East, and all expenses will be paid by them.

It is estimated that about ten weeks will be required for the campaign and the return trip to the Near Eastern countries to be visited.

On Wednesday afternoon Mme. Rambo will address a drawing-room meeting at Government House in the interests of the Near East relief work.

VICTORIA W.I. HEARS EXCELLENT REPORTS COMMITTEES' WORK

The regular business meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute was held on Friday, Mrs. Peden, the president, in the chair. Many important matters came before the meeting and were dealt with. Reports from social, visiting, hospital, and T. B. committees showed that excellent work was being done. Mrs. Colin Campbell reported that $59 was realized at the silver tea held at her home on March 17 and a hearty vote of thanks was accorded her for her splendid work in connection with same.

Mrs. F. Campbell gave a most interesting and instructive paper on "Legislation," stressing the fact that the women's organizations can be a powerful factor in obtaining suitable laws. Workmen's compensation, minimum wage for boys, state insurance and maternity bills were mentioned. Mrs. Peden, the president, and Mrs. Crocker were appointed delegates to attend the provincial conference to be held in April at Vancouver. Mrs. Hale will convene the next concert in the T. B. ward, Jubilee Hospital.

The following ladies were appointed conveners for Victoria: W. I. Fall Fair exhibit: Mrs. C. Campbell, fancy work, knitting and crocheting; preserves, Mrs. Urquhart; art stall, Mrs. Hale. Other committees to be formed later. After a busy afternoon a social half hour was spent. Refreshments were served by the following ladies: Mrs. G. Stewart, Mrs. Petch, Mrs. McCallum.

ESQUIMALT GIRL GUIDES WIN BADGES

During this month the following proficiency badges have been gained by the First Esquimalt Company of Girl Guides: Toymaker, P. Saddler; children's nurse, V. Painter and K. Chapman; domestic service, E. De Costa, D. Cave, E. Thomas, M. Phillips, V. Sweet, V. Ireland, S. Scott and I. Hunter; needlewoman, C. Saddler; cook, V. Painter; laundress, V. Murrant, V. Ireland and D. Cave; knitter, V. Painter. The Robin Patrol has two new recruits.

C.P.R. SOCIAL CLUB

The dance to-night in the Empress Hotel ballroom under the auspices of the C.P.R. Social Club has every indication of being one of the best attended of the year. In the ordinary course the dance should not take place until Thursday evening, but owing to the ballroom being engaged every other evening the committee were obliged to take Monday evening. The usual music under Prof. Ozard and his five-piece orchestra will be provided. Dancing commences at 8.30 and continues until 11.30. The remaining dances for the season have been arranged for Thursday, April 3 and 17, and the closing ball on May 1.

Ethel—What is the proper length for a girl's skirt?

Clara—That all depends on her legs, dear!—New York Sun and Globe.

KNOWLEDGE OF HOME-MAKING ESSENTIAL TO ALL GIRLS

Advocates of Domestic Science in Schools Present Strong Case at Conference

Resolutions favoring an increased knowledge of domestic science and, among other things, recommending the co-operation of the various women's organizations in the provision of a model "practice home" where classes in the science of home-making might be carried on for a year formed the outcome of the very successful conference on domestic science held in the School Board offices on Saturday. The Local Council of Women sponsored the conference and speakers from the mainland as well as Vancouver Island presented their views on this much-discussed question.

SHOULD MEET NEEDS

Mrs. Peter MacNaughton introduced the subject with an eloquent plea that girls while in school should be taught home-making in its highest sense. She had visited all the centres in Victoria and had found them well equipped and in good order, with the exception of one, which was in a basement ill-suited to the purpose. Mrs. McNaughton had two conferences with the four domestic science teachers and had found them working harmoniously and efficiently. She appealed to the mothers to give greater co-operation to this work.

Miss Elizabeth Berry, supervisor of home economics in the Vancouver schools, held that the subject was one which should be given a higher dignity than it has at the present time in the eyes of the educational authorities, and that credits should be given. She was not more interested in the teaching of home economics in the High School than in any other institution in which girls were getting an education, but the courses should be adapted to the age and needs of the girl.

APPRECIATION OF HOME

Mrs. Ellen Dabney, superintendent of domestic science in the Seattle schools, in maintaining that many mothers could not teach the principles of household economics because they did not know these things, said: "The finest thing we do in home economics is to give a girl proper appreciation. If you can get respect for labor into your young people you have done a fine thing. Many a girl's life has been ruined by the mother's attitude: 'I've had a hard time and I'm going to save my daughter from working as I had to.'

"The home need not be the drudgery that it is supposed to be. The speaker couldn't think of any worse drudgery than office life.

Divorce, juvenile courts, these things cost the community heavily. Had the girl been permanently interested in doing her part in the home as a community; had the mother been interested in home-making, much of this community expense would have been saved, claimed Mrs. Dabney.

THE OPPOSITION

Mrs. Adams-Beck, who led the discussion on the negative side, declared that the present system of education was demoralizing the parents by relieving them of their responsibilities. There was a tendency to do more and more for the child outside of the home, thus leading towards state socialism. Instead of teaching domestic science and its standards of living and eating in excess of one's needs, the speaker advocated a simplification of training. Children should be taught simpler standards in eating and living, she declared. Mrs. Frank Andrews and Mrs. Sinclair also spoke for the negative side, while Mrs. V. S. Maclachlan was in favor of the teaching home economics in the schools.

Other speakers included John Kyle, supervisor of technical education; Miss Riddell, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Parr, Trustee Maunsell, Mrs. William Grant, Trustee Brown, Mrs. Pankhurst of Vancouver and Harry Charlesworth. At the close Mrs. H. E. Young summed up the day's proceedings.

Resolutions passed included one which read as follows: "Whereas a course for high schools including home economics has been established in British Columbia, we women in conference assembled request the Education Department to make every effort to award or obtain for them matriculation credit in the University of British Columbia."

MRS. A. E. BULL DIES IN VANCOUVER

Was Sister of Mrs. E. H. Griffiths and Miss McKenney of Victoria

The many friends of Mrs. E. H. Griffiths of Oscar Street and Miss McKinney of the Provincial Jubilee Hospital will learn with sincere regret of the bereavement they have sustained in the death of their sister, Mrs. A. E. Bull of Vancouver who passed away on Saturday evening at her home, 1356 Nanton Avenue, Shaughnessy Heights.

The late Mrs. Bull, who was well known in Victoria, had been ill for many months and the end was not altogether unexpected. She is survived by her husband and two sons; two brothers, T. W. McKenney of Toronto and A. G. McKenney of California, and her two sisters of this city, Dr. E. H. Griffiths has gone over to attend the funeral which will be held from Christ Church on Tuesday at 2.30. Interment will be made in Ocean View Cemetery.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Miller of Hood River, Ore., are visiting Victoria.

Mr. O. R. Miller of Portland is on a visit to this city.

Mrs. M. L. Gooch of Hood River, Ore., arrived in Victoria to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howie of Edmonton are visiting Victoria.

Miss Ena Short has returned to her home in Vancouver after visiting Miss Pemberton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Briggs returned to the city this morning from Vancouver.

Mr. Herbert Rolston, editor of the Portland Canal News, has arrived in the city on a week's visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. M. Rolston, Menzies Street.

Mrs. W. W. Josephs announces the engagement of her eldest daughter Violet Jeanne to Mr. George Turner of Ganges, only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. B. Turner. The marriage will take place shortly.

Mrs. A. P. Griffiths, of Cadboro Heights, has gone over to Vancouver to attend a meeting of the executive of the Provincial I.O.D.E. While in the mainland city she will be the guest of Mrs. C. B. McAllister, Shaughnessy Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clothier, of Stewart, have arrived in the city. They have taken a house on Bank Street, where Mrs. Clothier will take up her residence for the Summer months. Mr. Clothier will return north in a week or so.

Mrs. John Oliver of "Del Bonita," Fern Street, is leaving to-morrow afternoon on a trip which will include visits to friends in Penticton and Nelson, finishing with a stay with her daughter, Mrs. Runnalls at Grand Forks.

Mrs. F. E. Runnalls, who has been the guest of her parents, Premier and Mrs. John Oliver, for the past few weeks, left this afternoon for Vancouver en route for her home at Grand Forks. She was accompanied to the mainland by Miss Allen, of Vancouver, who has been visiting her for the past week.

Mrs. E. A. Palmer has arrived from England and after a few weeks' stay at her home, "Gibralfar," Parsons Bridge, will rejoin her children in Northern Italy, where she may decide to make her home permanently.

Mrs. Hugh Osler, of Roslyn Road, Winnipeg, entertained at dinner on Wednesday evening last in honor of Mrs. C. E. Thomas, of Victoria, and Mrs. M. K. Parker, of New York. Mrs. Thomas was also the guest of honor at a tea given by Mrs. W. R. Allen on Thursday.

Mrs. George Johnston entertained at mah jong Saturday afternoon at her home on Chamberlain Street, when her guests included Mrs. Bowser, Mrs. Little, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. Charles Todd, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. W. Todd, Mrs. Macan, Mrs. Prior, Mrs. Hermann Robertson, Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, Miss A. McLimont, Mrs. Boak, Miss Norma Macdonald, Miss Gladys Irving. The tea table, which was prettily decorated with daffodils, was presided over by the hostess and Mrs. Lampman.

A very enjoyable surprise party was held Friday night at the home of Miss Helen Boyce, Fairfield Road, when a number of her friends paid her an unexpected visit. Games and dancing were enjoyed throughout the evening during which dainty refreshments were served. Among those present were the Misses Catherine MacDonald, Dorothy Shepheard, Helen Loggin, Jessie Widdowson, Freda Widdowson, Vera Palmer, and Messrs. James McConnell, Charles Swannell, George Turner, William George, Edgar Knowlton, W. Mason, Hugh McKie.

At "Breadalbane," 1185 Fort St., a quiet wedding took place on Friday afternoon when Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Mr. Dan Elmer Pierson and Miss Alfa Marceline Ellion, both of Port Angeles. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, Mrs. Alfred L. Ellion, was very pretty in a traveling suit of blue gaberdine with hat to match. After a honeymoon in this city Mr. and Mrs. Pierson will reside in Port Angeles.

In honor of Miss Winnie Gilmer, who is to be an Easter bride, Mrs. F. Ashley Sparks entertained at a shower on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Hewett and Mrs. J. S. Floyd presided at the tea-table which in common with the reception rooms was gay with daffodils and primroses. Little Peggy Pidcock presented the guest of honor with a collection of lovely gifts in a hat box of black and white tied with white ribbon and flowers. The guests included Madame Sanderson, Mrs. Pidcock, Mrs. Downs, Mrs. Rankin, Misses Winnie, Bruc and Rona Gilmer, Miss Ruth Cooper, Miss Marjorie Haynes, Miss Ila Brandon, Miss Lena Kay, Miss Frankie Bearcroft, Miss Katherine Wollaston, Miss Winnie Shaw, Miss Dolly Spencer, Miss Barbara Hope, Mrs. J. S. Floyd and Mrs. H. F. Hewett.

The weekly military five hundred and dance of the Sons of Canada on Friday night was attended by a happy crowd, and for next week the prizes are to be raised. The winners Friday night were: First table, thirty-two flags, Mrs. M. Grant, Mrs. J. Speed, Messrs. W. Merriman and R. H. Harrison; second, twenty-five flags, Mrs. Waters, Mrs. Mansell, Messrs. Francis and Guptil; third, twenty-four flags, Mrs. Heathfield, Mrs. Rampley, Messrs. R. Thompson and James Watson. The ten bid was won by Mrs. Simpson and Mr. Gibbs.

YOUR HOME AND YOU

By HELEN KENDALL

Turning Defeat Into Victory

The young housewife stood in the middle of her kitchen, wringing her hands and giving voice to genuine wails of distress. Before her on the snowy table stood a cake—a wreck of a cake—fallen in the middle and ragged and crumbly around the edges. The icing had been too thin and had refused to spread, dripping down over the sides of the loaf and revealing here and there bare patches of slightly burned surface. It was a pathetic sight, that cake, it was one of those petty tragedies that we home women all experience at one time or another and that fill us temporarily with despair.

"I wouldn't mind a bit if it were for home use," moaned the housewife, "but I promised to bake it for the Vassar cake sale, and there isn't time to start another. I'm late as it is. What an awful looking thing! I can't take that mess up to Betty's. The girls would all certainly have the laugh on me. Yet I can't bear not to do my share."

She wiped her eyes and stood starling disconsolately at the cake. Prizes had been offered for the best cakes and she had hoped hers would be a winner. And just look at it! She looked and grinned. It was so utterly ruined that it was funny. Then she laughed aloud, for she suddenly had an idea for turning defeat to victory. She rushed to her desk, drew out one of her visiting cards and printed on the back in clear letters:

"Singed Cat Cake—Better Than It Looks!"

This sign she affixed to a long violet pin and stuck it upright in the forlorn, draggled cake.

"It does taste all right, I know that," she assured herself, "and it isn't as if the girls did not know I could bake wonderful cake—sometimes. I'll take I along to show that I meant well and that I'm a good sport!"

The singed cat cake was the sensation of the sale, being greeted with shrieks of laughter and winning—well, a consolation prize, anyway.

"A cake may be down, but its never out," voted the judges amid the general hilarity.

Times Social Club to Hold Dance on Friday

An informal dance has been arranged by The Times Social Club for Friday, March 28, to take place in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. Dancing will be from 9 to 1 o'clock, and Ozard's orchestra will furnish the music. Tickets may be obtained at The Times business office.

YOUR HEALTH

REGARD THE FAMILY PHYSICIAN AS COUNSELOR AND GUIDE

By Royal S. Copeland, M.D.

I had occasion to go to Cinnenati, Ohio, where a former Judge of the Court and his charming wife entertained me. My hostess was in mental distress over the high fever of one of her children who was suffering from an infected throat.

The next morning before I was dressed, the family doctor called. After seeing his little patient, the doctor came in to visit with me while I was shaving.

Do you remember old Doctor McClure in Ian Maclaren's book, "Beside the Bonnie Briar Bush?" The doctor I met in Cincinnati was like Dr. McClure. He was a man of few words, but his voice was soft, his touch gentle and his eyes kind. Poise, patience and wisdom were his wonderful possessions.

I hope the good old family physician will never disappear from the earth. We need him now, just as our parents and our grand-parents needed him.

I wish everybody could come to know what doctors are for. You shouldn't run to the doctor with every foolish little ache and pain. Your own common sense and honesty with self should teach you that many of these symptoms are the result in your own indiscretions. You know why you have them, how to avoid them, and that they will disappear in a few hours.

You should know enough about your body and how to care for it to escape the frequent need of seeing a doctor.

Don't wear your doctor out by pestering him with needless telephone calls and the demand for midnight visits. Use your brains.

Many calls made upon the doctor are impulsive acts. I have told you of the old lady who 'phoned the doctor at 2 a.m., begging him to come at once. "I can't bear this pain another minute," she said. "How long have you had it?" inquired the kindly doctor. "Twenty-seven years," was the amazing reply! Really, the suffering woman might have waited till daylight.

But there are just as many times when the doctor is redily needed and is not called. I urge you to take no chance with disease or with symptoms which persist and cannot be explained. You should not permit yourself to worry or the disease to run past the curable stage, simply because your family doctor is neglected.

The doctor is your friend and should be your counsellor and guide. To have at your disposal a man like the Cincinnati doctor I have described is worth everything to your peace of mind and to the welfare of your family.

You may say a sort throat is not one of the ailments which demand the attention of a medical man. It all depends. Soreness alone is a matter of small consequence, but high fever with the soreness indicates infection. If neglected, a disturbance like this in a child may result in abscess of the glands and serious after effects. An extra call or two may be an unnecessary precaution, but the mental relief given the mother is worth more than the cost.

When I am sick I shall be happy to have the kind of doctor I saw in Cincinnati.

Diary of a Fashion Model

By GRACE THORNCLIFFE

Pam Sees a Lovely Daytime Frock at a Fashion Showing

"I've just been to a delightful fashion showing," Pam said as she came in and threw her hat unceremoniously upon a chair.

"You should be more careful with that," I said reprovingly, nodding toward the cunning little sports hat she had thrown aside so casually.

"I remember when you bought it and prized it very highly," I added.

"But if you'd just seen as many adorable straws as I have, you wouldn't think a little camel's hair hat like that amounted to much," she returned.

"Now don't begin to feel proud because you've seen a lot of pretty Summer things that you can't afford to have," I said teasingly.

"Well, the nice thing is that most of the costumes aren't so awfully expensive, especially if one can sew," Pam told me.

"Let's hear about them," I urged.

"Well, there was one simple little frock worn with a cunning hat, both of which could be acquired," she said hopefully.

"It was white crepe de Chine bound in yellow," she added.

"If there's one combination I like very much, it is white and yellow," I said approvingly.

"This frock was short-sleeved and youthful, and the colors made me think of sunshine and bright Summer days," Pam raved on.

"How was it made, may I ask?" I put in gently.

"Just with tiny pin-tucks around the neck and on the short sleeves and down either side," she answered.

"It was bound in buttercup yellow about the neck and on either sleeve and down the closing side," she continued. "And that's about all there was."

"Sounds simple to make," I observed.

"That's what I said," Pam returned.

"The hat was just as simple and effective," she added.

"Could you make it yourself?" I asked.

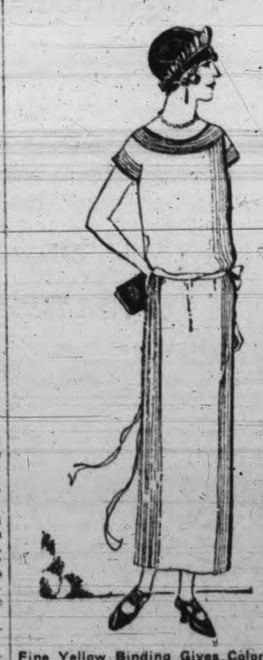
"I doubt that," Pam answered. "You see it was black milan straw, at least the crown was."

"And the brim?" I questioned.

"Well, there really wasn't any brim," Pam told me. "It was only yellow ribbon pinched into cunning points that stuck out from the hat."

"You could make those," I reassured her.

"Yes, if I could look at some and see just how they are folded," she said. "But any clever milliner could make it for me if I drew it for her."



Fine Yellow Binding Gives Color to This White Crepe Frock

"I should think the same outfit would be attractive in that lovely new leaf green," I remarked.

"Or orange or powder blue or rose," Pam said. "I think a simple costume like that offers infinite possibilities in the color line."

"Yes," I agreed. "Any clear bright color is lovely by itself or with white in a simple frock of that kind."

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Wife of Former Moderator Dead

Ottawa, March 24.—The death occurred Saturday of Mrs. W. T. Herridge, wife of Rev. W. T. Herridge, pastor emeritus of St. Andrew's Church, and former moderator of the presbyterian General Assembly. During the war her valuable assistance in Belgian relief service was recognized by the Belgian Government and King Albert conferred a decoration on her. She was well known in Winnipeg and in Victoria.

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BANFF BECOMING WINTER AS WELL AS SUMMER RESORT

To consult local scientists, preparatory to the expected Western tour of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, which will be in the West immediately following the Toronto gathering next August, N. B. Sanson is in the city, registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mr. Sanson is keenly interested in all forms of natural history as exemplified at Banff, where he resides, and where he has charge of meteorological records. One of the objects of his visit to Victoria at this time is to meet the superintendent of Gonzales Observatory, as he has known Mr. Napier Denison for many years.

Mr. Sanson says there are excellent prospects for a large gathering of tourists in the Rocky Mountain resorts this Summer. The Banff-Windermere Road proved a great attraction last season, when it was available for part of the season only, and he believes there is no reason why it should not be of increasing usefulness when the highway motor traffic movement of 1924 is fully operating.

One unusual factor in connection with Banff, he says, is the increasing number of foreign visitors who come to Banff for the Winters, to see the mountains in that part of the year when Nature is in her more active moods.

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TO TRACE ORIGIN OF ABORIGINES OF NORTH AMERICA

Dr. Jenness Explains His Present Work; Report on Canadian Arctic Expedition

A threefold purpose is occupying the attention of Dr. D. Jenness of Ottawa in his ethnological work in British Columbia, he explained to The Times while here to speak before the Natural History Society.

His engagement has recently been among the Carrier Indians of the Hazelton district and he is now going into the Prince George district to study some phases of life in that section.

The authorities are endeavoring to show that the West Coast Indians (and in that term is meant the whole aboriginal population from Alaska to Oregon) had made certain inroads into the Athabaskan culture, which comprises the Indian nation from the Peace River to Hudson Bay, and south to the Saskatchewan River, occupying the territory which covers the area from the Arctic Ocean, embracing the whole of the Mackenzie basin. This incursion, which is shown in a number of border tribes like the Carriers, would have become much more marked if it had not been for the coming of the white men, which turned the Indian development to other channels. The study is being conducted into the language, religious rites and customs of the various tribes to examine theories advanced by authorities on the aboriginal tribes of America who trace an Asiatic origin to the peoples of North America, the last comers from the Asiatic continent being the Coast Indians.

THE NATIONAL EXPEDITION

Dr. Jenness first came to Victoria as a member of the Canadian Arctic expedition which sailed from Esquimalt in June, 1913, and he was attached as ethnologist of the southern party, under Dr. R. M. Anderson. He came to this important task from research work in the D'Entrecasteaux group off Papua. The scientific value of what was done in the North along the shores particularly of Coronation Gulf has been obscured by the more dramatic features of the expedition, the loss of the Karluk, the beleaguered northern party rescued by Capt. Bartlett's heroism, and the explorations of Stefansson himself, but the scientific party claims that it has given to Canada the practical value of the $500,000 spent in that enterprise.

SIXTEEN VOLUMES

Dr. Jenness explained the progress of he sections of the sixteen volumes in which the official history of the expedition will be told. While it has been necessary to consult scientists in all leading countries, and hence the delay, some of the volumes being in the press, and others in an advanced stage, while one or two are actually out, the outline story of the expedition itself, a volume which is to add to the wonderful narratives of the Arctic, has not yet been issued. In view of the criticism the expedition has provoked, and two books which have appeared of a non-technical character thereon, this volume is awaited with considerable interest.

After Dr. Jenness returned from the North he went overseas with the artillery and on demobilization was engaged on the preparation of the reports on the expedition. Last year he returned to field work in British Columbia.

Public Invited to Scale Mountain in Malahat District

George E. Winkler, chosen by the executive of the local branch of the Alpine Club, will lead the big community climb to Mount Braden when the party leaves Victoria on the morning of April 5, returning the same evening, and traveling both ways by train to within easy reach of the mountain. Mount Braden has been chosen as the destination of the climbers since it is close to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway and amid beautiful surroundings.

Mount Braden is about five miles from the Goldstream station on the E. and N. Railway. It is easy to approach, a road leading almost to its summit, which rises, clothed with coarse timber and bracken, 1,500 feet above the Finlayson Arm. The ascent is easy, and members of the Alpine Club here assure the public that none need have qualms as to the dangers of the climb, and that no one need have any experience in order to scale the peak. A wonderful panoramic view spreads out beneath the mountain.

McNIVEN MOVES TO KEEP JOBS FOR B.C. MEN

J. D. McNiven, Deputy Minister of Labor, leaves for Calgary this week to make arrangements under which interior British Columbia lumber mills will get their supplies of labor from the Coast instead of southern Alberta. At Calgary Mr. McNiven will confer with representatives of the Interior lumber industry and urge upon them the desirability of looking after British Columbia workers first. He will promise that when no labor is available on the Coast the Interior mills will be notified of the fact immediately, so that they may secure workers from the prairies.

While in Calgary Mr. McNiven also will meet representatives of the coal mine operators and miners of the Crow's Nest Pass and Drumheller coalfields, now in the middle of a dispute which is expected to end in a strike at the beginning of April. Mr. McNiven will endeavor to find out the facts of the dispute and also to calculate the probable affects of the anticipated strike upon British Columbia industry. Officials of the Provincial Department of Labor do not believe, however, that they can prevent the strike or settle it when it has started.

TAXATION BEFORE PUBLIC MEETING

Oak Bay Ratepayers Asked by Reeve and Council to Attend Gathering

Taxation matters will come to a head this evening in Oak Bay when a public meeting called by the Reeve and Council will get under way at the Municipal Hall at 8 o'clock.

Some time ago the Council forecast an increase in taxation if the policy of taxing land alone were continued. An improvement tax, it was suggested, would bring down the mill rate born by land and at the same time raise enough money for the transaction of municipal business.

At that time it was stated that no improvement tax would be put into effect without first laying the facts before the ratepayers. The meeting this evening, it is understood, is one in which the situation will be laid before the public.

NO EXTRA MONEY FOR WARD SEVEN ROADS THIS YEAR

The special money by-law, which was voted on by the people of Ward Seven, Saanich on Saturday was lost by a very small margin and the district will not have the proposed extra $5,000 spent on its roads this year. The Ratepayers' Association of the ward went on record as unanimously supporting the by-law, but it was arranged that the by-law should pass by a majority vote of 70.2 per cent. before it could be enforced. The vote carried against the by-law by a margin of 1.2 per cent. A total of 117 ballots were cast, sixty-nine for the by-law and forty-eight being against.

There are certain roads in the Ward Seven area which are in immediate need of repair, but this work can now only be accomplished with the sum derived from the ward appropriation for 1924, which will not exceed $7,600, and this must be spread over the ward during the whole of the remaining year to cover all road work.

Councillor Francis Simpson worked for some time in arranging for the by-law, and although his scheme lost in the percentage count, it was given a good majority vote.

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Berry growers, and those in the hothouse trade will be greatly interested in an announcement made by G. H. Snow, manager in Vancouver of the Mutual (Vancouver) Limited, that his firm has arranged with the various growing associations on the Lower Mainland and Island to market the fresh fruit crop of these districts in 1924.

This question is distinct from the cannery issue, in which Lower Mainland growers are asking for a Government loan to finance a cannery for all fruit unfit for transportation.

THE AGREEMENT

The agreement to handle the fresh fruit between the Mutual and the growers is regarded as one of the utmost importance in the interest of the berry industry. Selling of the entire crop will now be under one control. Prices, it is claimed, will be stabilized, and there will be eliminated the factional fights that have hitherto been prevalent between contending associations.

To all intents and purposes the new contract will be similar in its operation to a pool, except that the contracting company assumes all the financial responsibility.

Under the agreement the Mutual will pay the producers a percentage of the price of the berries on presentation of the bill of lading. All carload lots moving out of British Columbia will be under the control of the Mutual, which will distribute in the prairies, both to its own houses and to private dealers on the same basis.

STABILIZE PRICES

Mr. Snow states that there will be approximately 300 carloads of berries, including strawberries, raspberries and loganberries, available this coming season. As each carload comprises 850 cases of the value of about $2,500, the total value of the fruit involved in the deal is in the neighborhood of $750,000.

"No fixed price will be set for the fruit," states Mr. Snow. "The supply and demand will regulate the returns to the growers. Each carload will meet the market conditions independantly, but the products may depend on getting a substantial cash return, as each car rolls out."

Last year the Mutual controlled about sixty-five per cent. of the berry sales on the prairies, says Mr. Snow, and under the new arrangement it will simply mean a slight enlargement of their organization to handle it all.

The Vancouver Island Hothouse Association is also included in the contract. Some of the other associations are the Gordon Head Fruit Growers' Association Limited, Saanich Fruit Growers' Association Limited, Pacific Berry Growers' Association Limited, B.C. Growers' Cooperative Union Limited, the Central Fruit District Limited and the associations of the Salmon Arm and Creston district.

Vancouver Island Egg-Laying Contest

YEAR 1. WEEKLY REPORT. WEEK NO. 20, ENDING MARCH 19, 1924

Conducted by the Dominion Experimental Station, Sidney
(Registration)

The following table gives the production for the individual birds for the week under columns numbering 1 to 10. "W." gives the total weekly pen production and column "T" the total number of eggs for the pen to date. The difference between the weekly total and the records of the individual birds is the result of eggs laid on the floor.

*Leading pen.

Pen	Owner and Address	Breed	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	W.	T.
1	O. Thomas, Sidney	W.L.	3	4	5	4	5	5	6	1	3	6	42	635
2	P. G. Stebbings, Pender Island	W.W.	4	4	3	3	4	4	4	4	2	4	36	528
3	R. H. W. Clowes, Sidney	W.L.	6	5	4	6	6	6	6	5	4	4	52	693
4	S. Percival, Port Washington	W.W.	5	6	2	4	0	5	6	3	1	5	40	581
5	R. T. Vyvyan, Saanichton	W.L.	6	3	6	5	6	6	5	1	6	4	48	737
6	Elderton Bros., Royal Oak	W.W.	5	4	7	0	0	6	5	6	5	4	42	813
7	A. Georgeson, Albert Head	W.L.	4	4	6	5	5	6	5	5	3	6	49	744
8	L. G. Herchmer, Colwood	W.W.	1	1	3	3	5	3	5	3	5	7	36	611
9	R. F. Matthews, Victoria	W.L.	5	3	3	6	6	6	4	5	5	5	49	634
10	J. S. Baiss, Cobble Hill	W.W.	5	5	5	5	6	1	3	4	4	4	42	519
11	R. H. Barker, Sidney	W.L.	2	6	5	4	6	0	6	5	5	4	43	475
12	W. Robbins, Victoria	W.L.	4	5	5	6	5	5	5	6	7	3	51	579
13	W. Bradley, Langford	W.L.	6	5	5	6	4	5	5	3	6	6	51	672
14	G. C. Golding, Qualicum Beach	B.R.	0	6	4	6	1	6	6	5	6	5	45	579
15	E. Gwynne, Sidney	W.L.	5	6	5	3	4	6	2	6	5	6	48	569
16	J. E. Nelson, Sidney	W.W.	2	5	3	6	5	5	4	6	6	2	44	786
17	A. Adams, Victoria	W.L.	3	6	5	5	5	6	6	5	5	5	51	402
18	H. C. Cooke, Lake Hill	R.I.R.	6	6	5	6	7	5	6	7	6	5	*59	417
19	A. D. McLean, Victoria	W.L.	6	7	6	6	6	2	6	6	6	5	56	724
20	Dean Bros., Keating	W.W.	5	0	4	6	4	5	4	5	5	6	44	631
21	W. Russell, Victoria	W.L.	5	6	5	4	4	6	5	5	6	6	52	725
22	H. B. Cunningham, Shawnigan L.	W.W.	6	5	4	5	5	6	6	5	6	3	51	551
23	A. V. Lang, Victoria	W.L.	6	6	5	5	5	5	6	5	6	5	54	655
24	F. E. Parker, Duncan	W.L.	0	5	5	5	5	7	0	6	6	5	44	657
25	R. McKenzie, Victoria	W.L.	7	6	5	6	5	5	6	6	6	6	58	666
26	W. J. Gunn, Courtenay	W.L.	6	4	5	5	5	6	5	5	5	5	51	530
27	W. P. Hurst, Sidney	W.L.	5	5	6	5	6	4	5	6	6	6	54	*890
28	R. S. A. Jackson, Duncan	W.L.	6	6	3	5	5	5	5	5	6	4	50	779
29	G. C. Golding, Qualicum Beach	W.L.	6	6	5	4	6	5	6	5	5	5	53	767
30	J. J. Dougan, Cobble Hill	W.L.	5	6	3	4	5	6	1	5	6	4	45	622
31	Reade & King, Cowichan Sta.	W.W.	6	5	5	5	5	3	6	5	4	5	49	745
32	Experimental Station, Sidney	W.W.	5	6	7	6	4	3	5	6	7	3	52	726
33	Experimental Station, Sidney	W.W.	5	3	6	3	5	4	4	6	4	5	45	632
34	Experimental Station, Sidney	W.W.	4	3	0	0	3	2	2	6	6	4	29	531
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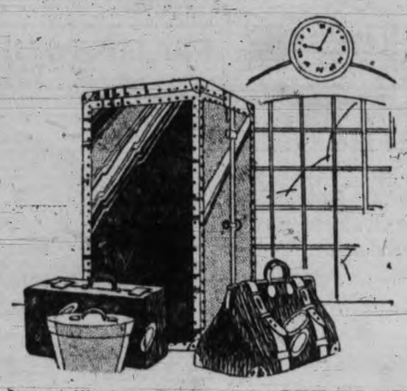

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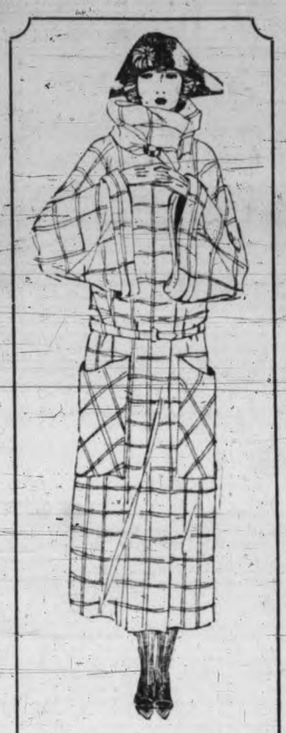

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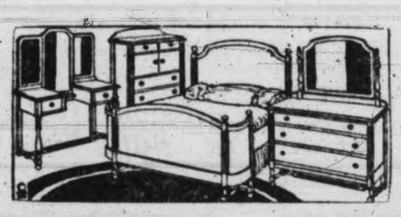

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China tea sets in a number of dainty patterns in floral and conventional designs; all new shapes. Set consists of six tea plates, six cups and saucers, one cake plate, one sugar and one cream; values to $16.00. Sale price per set $9.50

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China Tea Sets
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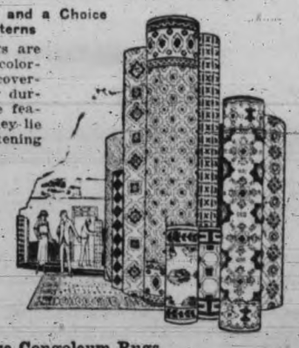

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Vinolia Vanishing Cream, value 35c for ..... 28¢
Melba Face Powder, white only; value 75c for ..... 53¢
Ingram's Face Powder, white only; value 50c for ..... 33¢
Talcum Powder in glass jars, value 50c for ..... 37¢
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Sons of England Crowned Football Champions of City

Caused Somewhat of Surprise When they Humbled Wards by 2 Goals to 1

Final Game of Jackson Cup Series Produced Good Soccer and Drew Big Crowd

With the 1923-24 football season fast drawing to a close chief interest naturally centres around the destination of the various cups now being competed for. At the Royal Athletic Park on Saturday afternoon another valued piece of silverware, designated the Jackson Cup, provided a strenuous battle between the North Wards and the Sons of England, and resulted in a victory for the latter by two goals to one. The importance of the occasion was demonstrated in no uncertain manner by the large and enthusiastic crowd which assembled and it witnessed an exhibition of soccer replete with all the thrills and vigor of a typical cup final.

The North Wards have earned distinction by the way they have tackled men presumably their superiors and their determination to win the Jackson Cup, at least, gained for them the right to play in the final. Sympathy was freely expressed on Saturday afternoon at their apparent weakness in front of goal, but this remark describes with equal weight the weakness of the Sons of England quintette. If this shortcoming robbed them of a victory when some glorious opportunities in the penalty area presented themselves during a lull in the Sons' attack, together with the forcing of several corners, it certainly was the chief cause of the final score against them not being more decisive.

WARDS' BACKS GOOD

The game resolved itself into interesting duel between a fine, often brilliant, line of forwards and a pair of resolute backs, for Taylor and Bell played with perfect understanding. The Sons of England won the game and thoroughly deserved the hearty congratulations of their supporters, for this is understood to be the first occasion on which they have even been in the final of the Jackson series. Their success on this occasion is more pronounced because the path to ultimate victory has been anything but a rosy one, their previous obstacles being the Veterans of France and the Victoria Wests.

From the way the Wards started no one would have imagined that they would have to fight so hard to save a more severe beating. They took command of the game from the kick-off and played some very pretty football, but it was not of the calibre calculated to meet with ultimate success against such dour and alert defenders as those of the Sons of England. The forwards were much too dainty and tickled the ball instead of kicking it, their methods were altogether too close, and when they got a chance of shooting they could not take advantage of it. Both teams suffered from inability to control the vicissitudes of a lively ball; it was allowed to spend far too much time in the air.

WARDS SCORE FIRST

The Sons were at a distinct disadvantage in facing the sun in the initial session, but it was during this half that the game was lost and won, for the Englishmen led at the interval by two goals to one, which was also the final score. Totty kicked off for the Wards who immediately pressed and from a throw-in "Cotton" Brynjolfson headed wide. In attempting a risky clearance Harwood kicked backwards into his own goal, but Hetherington was equal to the occasion. At the other end Shanks had a golden opportunity to open the score but shot wide. From end to end the ball traveled quickly and after McInnes had sent a sizzling centre across the Sons' goal mouth the latter enjoyed a short period of pressure. Another of McInnis' fine centres culminated in the Wards' only reward of a single goal, and this came from the foot of Totty after eighteen minutes' play. The Sons, when attacking, struck one as the more dangerous. Short lived however, was the Wards' success, for sixty seconds later the Sons equalized as the result of a free kick. Phillips accepting a beautiful pass from Bridges and making no mistake by placing the ball neatly in the net. The same player came within an ace of notching another but, with Cummings beaten, his effort hit the upper side of the cross bar. Under pressure the Sons' backs were weak in clearing and the Wards obtained the first corner, all danger being averted when McInnes put the flag kick outside.

THE WINNING GOAL

A pretty run by the Sons ended in Phillips beating the Wards left half and returning the compliment to Bridges, whose shot went over the bar. The Sons' goal underwent a period of bombardment, three corners being obtained by the Wards in the space of as many minutes, Totty finally placing the ball safely in Hetherington's hands. The Sons then made tracks towards the Wards' goal and Cummings was called upon. Following this effort the former staged another of their fine combination rushes and Tommy Southern made no mistake in scoring the third, and what proved to be the winning goal of the game. Scarcely had the applause subsided when the half-time whistle blew with the Sons leading by two goals to one.

Crossing over the Wards continued to press, until the Sons broke away and forced a corner. Phillips being unable to convert Shanks' centre. After the latter had again tested the Wards' custodian both goals received frequent visits and Swan saved a certain goal with his head from another corner obtained by the Wards. For some minutes the latter crowded the Sons' goal, but no one was capable of doing the needful. The Sons were having a bad time and it seemed as though their citadel must surely fall, the climax coming when a Sons' defender was penalized and a free kick awarded the Wards almost on the Sons' goal line. With the fatal area packed with players the ball miraculously glanced off Hetherington's elbow and their supporters breathed freely again. Until the Sons' forwards again found their stride their defenders were making valiant efforts to stem the opposing rushes, and that they were successful was entirely due to their resourcefulness. The tables then turned and a short pass from another of Shanks' characteristic runs down the touch-line came very near its objective. End to end play was now the modus operandi, but neither set of forwards were able to add to the score, the nearest approach to this end coming when Southern kicked wide with the goal at his mercy. The half-time score was also the full time score.

That the task proved too much for the Wards, carried with it no disgrace, for, keen and bustling to a man, the Sons never spared themselves. After a not very convincing start they played clever and confident football of a type which not only wins matches but delights spectators.

The lengthy Brynjolfson played a fine game at centre but the bustling Phillips and the elusive Southern gave him a busy afternoon. Anstead turned in another neat game, Tupman and Phillips again covered themselves with glory, and Shanks was a continual source of anxiety to Bell and Taylor.

Cotwall refereed.

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A SECOND RUTH

LOU GEHRIG

New Orleans, La., March 24.—A capable substitute for every position on the ball field is the aim of Manager Miller Huggins of the Yankees in his effort to put over a fourth consecutive pennant.

For first base, in case of injury to Wally Pipp, Huggins is preparing Lou Gehrig, former Columbia University star. In the Eastern League last season in fifty-nine games, Gehrig made twenty-four home runs.

Star Girls Hoop Teams Will Link Up in Big Game

Fidelis and Metropolitans Will Battle in Championship Game To-night

The senior girls championship of the Sunday School League basketball must be decided at once, as Nanaimo will be down Saturday night to meet the local winners in the opening game for the open British Columbia championship.

Fidelis girls will meet the Metropolitans to-night at the Trades Hall, and a win for the Fidelis girls would settle the whole thing at once. Metropolitans, however, defeated Fidelis last week and should they come through again to-night with another victory three teams would be tied for first place.

PLAYOFF ARRANGED

Christ Church, Mets and Fidelis would then have to play off for the title. The two first teams drawn would play on Wednesday evening and the final game would take place on Thursday. This would mean quite a strenuous week for the girls, but the local championship must be decided before the Nanaimo girls arrive.

To-night's game will undoubtedly be a very fast one, and with the championship at stake a large crowd is expected.

The tip-off will be at 8 o'clock.

The probable lineups will be as follows:

Mets—Audrey Jost, Ella Lewis, Muriel Danieis, Blossom Barnett, Violet Dunn and Mildred Redman.

Fidelis — Beth Campbell, Isobel Crawford, Hilda Best, M. Breckenridge, Iris Philbrook and Bertha Ross.

MRS. JESSUP WINS

Brookline, Mass., March 24.—The national indoor women's tennis championship ended Saturday with victories for Mrs. M. Z. Jessup of Wilmington, Del., in the singles and for Mrs. G. W. Wightman of Boston and William T. Tilden II. of Philadelphia in the mixed doubles.

Unusual Reverse Startled Soccer Fans in England

Northampton's Tremendous Win Over Southend Unexpected

Thirty Thousand Watch Burnley Trample on Sunderland

London, March 24 (Canadian Press Cable)—One of the features of Saturday's league football was the extraordinary form shown by the Northampton - Southend United game. Northampton won eight to nothing as compared with last week when Southend were winners, five to one. Lockett and Setbrooke tallied threes each for the winners, while Pease and Myers each scored one, the latter from a penalty.

Aston Villa's victory over Tottenham Hotspurs by three to one was a marked feature of the first division games, largely the result of the great efforts of Capewell, who scored his team's three goals.

Notts County were a better side than Cardiff City, whom they defeated one to nothing, to administer the fourth successive defeat suffered by the Welsh team.

Thirty thousand watched Burnley's defeat of Sunderland by a score of one to nothing. Beel scored for the winners.

Jack Scored both goals for Bolton Wanderers when they won from Middlesbrough two to nothing.

Leeds' two to nothing victory over Fulham in the second division was entirely deserved, although both goals were directly the result of Fulham mistakes.

Twenty thousand spectators saw Birmingham defeat Chelsea one to nothing in a game in which there was displayed more brawn than brains. Everton were unlucky to be beaten by Westham United two to one. A penalty goal scored by Chadwick decided the contest.

Bristol City lost after ten minutes of play against Clapton Orients, the latter winning two to nothing. Blackpool's six goals against Port Vale's one, included two by Bedford and two by White.

Smith netted three of Plymouth's four against Bournemouth, the latter being blanked four to nothing.

Oxford Crew Makes Better Time Over Course Than Rivals

London, March 24.—The Cambridge crew in practice for the annual race with Oxford rowed the full racing course on the Thames Saturday in 20 minutes 18 seconds, as compared with 19 minutes 29 seconds of the Oxford crew Friday. For the first two miles the Cambridge oarsmen were able to row a fast pace, but near the finish head winds and rough water slowed them up.

OUR MAIL BAG

ALBION CRICKET CLUB

To the Sports Editor—I shall be glad if you will announce in The Times the fact that the Albion Cricket Club is now in a position to announce that the Cranmore Road grounds will be available for the use of the club through the courtesy of the Oak Bay school trustees, and that subject to approval by the board fixtures will be arranged as from May 10 to September 10, 1924. Further, the executive of the club hopes to run both an "A" and "B" team during the coming season, but this is only conditional upon additional players being secured. Applications for membership should be sent to the undersigned at P.O. Box 576. The club desires particularly to encourage the younger element, and with this end in view the executive has reduced the membership fee to $5 to match players up to twenty-one years of age; over that the usual fee will be demanded, viz., $10.

Still further, the club is anxious to have the youngsters of Oak Bay take up the game seriously and will do its utmost to instruct the boys who desire to play cricket and who will turn up at the net practices, which will be held twice a week, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, commencing at 5.30 p.m., the first taking place on April 8. The club's first turnout, however, will be on Saturday, April 5, at 2.30 p.m., when it is hoped that quite a number will be on hand to open the season with a good start.

As far as can be learned at this date the club will have the greater part of last year's players, while others have expressed a wish to throw in their lot with the Albions, and the executive is looking forward to an excellent season under the leadership of the popular skipper, Frank Jordan, who has been associated with the club for many years past.

The Cranmore Road grounds are looking in splendid condition, and, remembering last year, the present as well as prospective members can certainly count upon a most enjoyable Summer's sport with the good old club.

HUBERT LETHABY
Hon. Secretary

Ah, Ha! Mr. Firpo

Buenos Ayres, March 24.—Luis Angel Firpo, who recently announced he would retire from the ring, has cabled a Los Angeles company asking if the $210,000 offer made him while he was in the United States to appear on the screen, still was open. If it was, his message said, he was willing to accept it.

WILL TRY AND PILOT CINCINNATI REDS TO PENNANT IN NATIONAL

JACK HENDRICKS

Fate played a trump card in the baseball career of Jack Hendricks, well known minor and major league manager.

At the close of last season Hendricks severed his contract as manager of the Indianapolis club of the American Association, a position he successfully held for a number of years.

With nothing better in sight this Spring, he signed as assistant to Manager Pat Moran at Chincinnati. The death of Moran gave him the opportunity to manage a club well liked to win the National League pennant.

Montreal Folks Disappointed in Tigers' Showing

Calgary Surrendered After First Period Says Eastern Sport Writer

Montreal, March 24.—Commenting on the defeat Saturday night of Calgary by 6-1 in the first game of the three-game series for the Stanley cup between that club and Canadiens, the sporting editor of Le Canada says the following in part:

"The fans were disappointed by Calgary's showing. After their victory over Vancouver a week ago in Winnipeg, they were conceded a good chance of holding Canadiens, but following an energetic fight in the first period, the team surrendered and thereafter never had a chance. In the second period they were routed.

"It was, above all, the defence which was lacking on the part of the visitors. Their line of attack worked hard, but Canadiens' points were registered when the defence neglected to cover Morenz, Boucher and Joliat.

LIKE WESTERN GOALIES

"The visitors did good work in the first period, and Reid put on marvellous stunts. A spectator was even heard to say: 'There are no good clubs, but there are some splendid goaltenders in the West.' Reid received small support from his defence and the team cracked.

"Cully Wilson and Bernie Morris were the Tigers' most dangerous players, Wilson especially working hard. He fought energetically and often succeeded in shooting at Vezina. Morris was as plucky, but Morenz led him a hard life at centre. Rusty Crawford and Eddie Oatman woke from time to time, but could not do much damage. Gardiner, on the defence, is a big fellow, but he is slow and easy to get by, particularly by players as quick on their skates as Joliat and Morenz. Oliver, who plays in the front line, is still using 'Lumi' skates, which were famous some years ago. He did some good work, but Couture held him when he wanted to.

TURNER SURPRISED

"Lloyd Turner, Calgary manager, was most surprised after the game. He claimed that his team would have done as well in the other periods as in the first if the ice had been in better condition. He said the defeat of the Tigers was due to the fact that it had not had enough practice in the week it was resting. The ice will not be the same at Ottawa on Tuesday," he declared.

Ottawa, March 24.—Baffled, but not yet beaten, and genuinely glad to get a chance to play on hard ice, Calgary hockey team came to town yesterday and will work out to-day in preparation for their second game against Canadiens to-morrow night. Manager Turner, of the Tigers, was not a bit downcast over the defeat Saturday.

Dance Championship At Paris This Year

Paris, March 24.—Though dancing has not been recognized by the Olympic committee as a "sport" there is to be an Olympic year championship. Competition has begun for a long list of prizes between thirty-three men and the same number of women of whom thirty-nine are professional dancers and twenty-seven amateurs. The contest is international, there being several Russians, Brazilians, Italians, Poles and Swiss entered. A single English entry has been received.

Miss Wolfenden and R. J. Darcus Winners Of Leap Year Match

The Leap Year mixed foursome competition played at the Uplands Golf Club yesterday resulted as follows, the figures denoting the the gross, handicap and net scores respectively:

Miss Wolfenden and R. J. Darcus 93 21½ 71½.
Mrs. Wilding and A. V. Price 86 10½ 75½.
Mrs. Foulis and J. H. Edmonds 99 22½ 76½.
Mrs. and Mr. Hepburn 100 23 77.
Mrs. Barton and J. Macallan 102 25½ 76½.
Miss Kinloch and W. A. R. Hadley 92 14½ 77½.
Miss Mason and R. L. Challoner 100 21½ 78½.
Mrs. Dixon and S. H. de Carteret 103 24 79.
Mrs. and Mr. Pocock 101 20½ 80½.
Mrs. Geiger and P. Austin 108 26 82.
Mrs. Carr and Dr. Young 106 22 84.
Miss Thomas and G. S. Carr 107 20½ 86½.
Miss Hiscocks and J. Caven 112 25 87.
Miss Copeland and R. Peachey 112 22 90.

Amateur Union Held Important Discussion Here

Several Matters Affecting Amateur Sports Before Meeting Saturday

A number of important matters pertaining to the welfare of amateur sport in British Columbia were discussed at the meeting of the British Columbia Amateur Athletic Union held at the Y.M.C.A. on Saturday night.

One of the delegates from the mainland stated that the West and East Kootenay districts had applied for amateur governing boards, under the control of the provincial body. The applications of both districts were left in the hands of the president and secretary, who were given the power to act on the matter.

It was also brought before the meeting that the Fernie district was expected to apply for affiliation with the British Columbia body, and it was stated that the application would cover all the different branches of sport.

Percy Watson, local representative of the provincial body and also proxy for the B.C. Amateur Hockey Association, stated that an agreement had been reached whereby the B.C.A.A.U. and the P.N.A. would work together. All applications for amateur sport events under the auspices of the latter body in this province will be placed before the B.C.A.A.U. for their approval. Mr. Watson also stated that it had been arranged that amateur cards, issued by the different organizations, would be honored throughout the territory governed by each.

Considerable discussion in the matter of provincial junior amateur cards to be issued by local boards in British Columbia for amateurs under the age of eighteen years took place. The question was finally settled by handing the matter to the local boards, who will take a mail vote on the subject. It was also suggested that the cards be issued at the price of ten cents each.

A notice was given by the Vancouver delegates of an amendment to the constitution giving authority to B.C.A.A.U. officials to examine the membership registers of amateur athletic associations in order to secure a better knowledge on amateur cards issued.

Dan Sullivan was elected to the position of governor to act with three others already appointed on the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, and representing the provincial union. H. R. Davidson, of Vancouver, was elected provincial registrar of athletic records.

Great Soo Team Victorious Over Quebec Champions

Thrilling Game Staged in the Semi-Finals of Allan Cup; Selkirks Off For East

Regina Conquers Calgary in First Game in Junior Hockey Series

Winnipeg, March 24.—Feeling quite hopeful of returning with the Allan Cup, the Selkirk hockey team, Western representatives, left by the Canadian Pacific last night for Toronto to engage the Eastern champions in the Allan Cup finals next Thursday and Saturday. Every player with the exception of Manager Jack Hughes was in good shape. Hughes is suffering from a cut eye, but expects to be in shape by Thursday.

Ottawa, March 24. — Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds advanced one step nearer the Allan up when they defeated the Sons of Ireland, of Quebec, here Saturday night, 3 to 0, in the first of the two semi-final games and probably one of the best amateur games of the year.

While the score would indicate that the Soo's victory was an impressive one, it was a very tight fit, with the Sons commanding the play throughout the major portion of the playing time. A bit of hard luck, combined with a magnificent exhibition of goal-tending by Flat Walsh in the Soo nets, accounted for their zero score. Seldom has a more finished display of goal tending been seen than that furnished by Walsh Saturday evening.

The game was of championship calibre throughout. It was a battle of the forward lines with the Maroon clad speeders, under George McNamara's direction, holding the desperate attacks of the green shirts in submission, and then slipping in with the necessary punch in the final twenty-minute period to cinch the game. The pace was so fast all the way that combination was forced into the discard and one-man rushes predominated. In this respect the clever work of the Sons, individually, more than made up for the lack of combination on their part.

A GREAT GOALIE

Walsh's game in goal was the feature of the contest, while Donnelly, Phillips, Lessard, Woodruff and Cain all played well for the winners. Cook was one of the most effective men on the ice, and Stan. Brown also went well when used.

Turgeon performed remarkably well in the Quebec net, despite a nasty cut over the eye from a flying puck in the first period, and was probably the best man on the ice. Laroche, Dinan and McNaughton were all brilliant on the forward line, while Gaudreault and Pednault afforded a relief that did not weaken the team. Starkins played splendidly for two periods, but a bad toss in the final session evidently took a lot out of him.

Summary

First period—No score.
Second period—No score.
Third period—1, Soo, Woodruff, 1.45; 2, Soo, Donnelly, 10.00; 3, Soo, Lessard, 1.05.

Winnipeg, March 24.—In a hard-fought contest, featured by effective offensive tactics, Regina Patricias, conquerors of the Winnipeg Tigers, defeated Calgary Canadiens, 4 to 2, here Saturday night in the first of a two-game series for the right to enter the Canadian junior hockey finals.

The Calgary lads were beaten, but they carried the play into Regina territory for the greater part, and were somewhat unfortunate in suffering a two-goal defeat.

FLUKY GOALS

Two of Regina's tallies were of the fluke variety, but they must be given full credit for their victory. They battled hard every inch of the way, and though permitting their opponents to carry the play into Regina territory for the greater part, the Patricias have a defensive system which, though not pretty to watch, has certainly brought them results, and may lead them to the Canadian championship.

Regina won by blanking their opponents in the first and third periods and holding them even in the middle session. Though outplayed, Regina assumed a one-goal lead in the first period. Calgary fighting back hard, scored twice in the early part of the second period, only to have the Pats regain the lead with two goals in quick succession. The final session had barely started when Acaster and Gotteslide combined for the only tally of the period.

Kenora, Ont., March 24.—In a game replete with sensational hockey, the Owen Sound Greyhounds, eastern junior champions, gained a four-goal lead in the first match of the Dominion semi-finals by defeating Kenora Thistles, 11 to 7, Saturday night.

Though the Greys won by a four-goal margin, they had to travel to the finish to turn in a victory. It was a fast game, featured by the close checking of both teams. The visitors shone brightly on the attack and displayed far more finish than the local boys.

The second game will be played here to-night and the winner will meet either Regina Pats or Calgary Canadians in the finals to be played in Winnipeg.

Player Who Lost One Eye Will Get $14,000 From Fans

Hamilton, Ont., March 24.—fund for Johnny Brackenborough, local amateur hockeyist, who lost an eye, now amounts to $14,000.

TO SUB FOR SCOTT

MIKE GAZELLA

New Orleans, La., March 24.—Manager Miller Huggins of the New York Yankees is paying particular attention to Mike Gazella, former Lafayette College baseball and football star. Huggins is grooming Gazella as an understudy for Everett Scott at shortstop.

Gazella joined the Yankees in June of last year and was retained throughout the season. He is a very capable fielder but has a weakness at the bat.

Seattle's Speedy Hoop Team Beaten By Local Champs

First Presbyterians in Great Form, Score Fine Win Over American Quintette

In a very fast exhibition of basketball played at the Y.M.C.A. Saturday evening the local First Presbyterians were successful in their inter-city game with the speedy Y.M.C.A. squad from Seattle by 37-27. The game was exciting throughout, some very fine work being displayed by both teams, the locals having the edge over the visitors in combination and deadly shooting.

The local champs showed much better form than when they met the Vancouver Y.M.C.A. several weeks ago, McKinnon and Forbes in particular being in top form.

McKinnon opened the scoring for Victoria but Seattle evened things up immediately. Breckenridge and McKinnon added a basket each, and Seattle's lanky centre man replied with a nice shot. Forbes scored one of the finest shots of the game, dropping the ball clean through from near centre. The locals were now traveling in great style and with rapid passing and speedy rushes completely dazzled the visitors. McKinnon, Boyd and Breckenridge boosted the score up to 16, while the Seattle squad could not register more than 8 points.

SEATTLE TRIED HARD

Seattle threatened to even up the score several times in the second period. Becoming more accustomed to the local gymnasium, some of their long shots which went wild in the opening period found their mark. The visitors used a nice one-handed shot when under the basket which was very effective. One fast rally brought the score to 24-18, and enthusiasm ran high as the Firsts seemed to be slowing up for a short time.

Seattle's hopes were shattered, however, when the local team got under way again. Forbes, Boyd and McKinnon excelling in speed and shooting ability.

BOB SHOWS 'EM

Bob Whyte's rushes and snappy passes to the forwards brought good results, and the figures on the score board went up to 35-21. Seattle rallied again and scored two baskets in quick succession.

"Red" Hastings came on near the close of the game, but had barely time to judge the height of the baskets. On being awarded two free throws "Red" placed the first one two feet below the basket, the second try barely reaching the rim. While "Red" was trying to figure out what the trouble was the timekeeper blew the final whistle.

USED "TIME OUT" RULE

The time out periods of two minutes each, allowed in the rule books, were taken advantage of by the Seattle team, and it is evidently a customary practice in American basketball.

Whenever their team began to show signs of weakening the captain would call "Time out" and all five players would squat down in the middle of the gym floor for two minutes holding a regular pow-wow on how, when and where to win basketball games.

Gus McKinnon had his best night of the season, sixteen points scored against a team of such calibre as the Seattle "Y" being quite an achievement. Norm. Forbes has seldom been seen to better advantage, while Art Boyd showed marked improvement in shooting.

Tommy Nute refereed.

First Presbyterians—Gus McKinnon 16, Ed. Breckenridge 6, Art Boyd 8, Bob Whyte, Norm. Forbes 7, and Red Hastings.

Seattle—Saberhagen, Davies 2, Kinnan 10, Smith 8, Strand 7, and Turner.

TIGERS ARE WINNERS

Portage la Prairie, Man., March 21.—Putting up a stellar exhibition, featured by close checking and excellent team work, the Tigers of Winnipeg annexed the juvenile hockey championship of Manitoba here Saturday night when they defeated the Portage Victorias 4 to 2.

Canadiens Loom Up as Champions Of Hockey World

Decisive Win Over Calgary Makes Them Favorites For Stanley Cup

Tigers Found Frenchmen's Forward Line Too Fast; Play To-morrow Night

Montreal, March 24.—With a six to one victory over Calgary Tigers here Saturday night, Canadiens decisively demonstrated that the Stanley cup and world's professional hockey laurels are well within their grasp, and as a result of their overwhelming win, the National Hockey League champions are big favorites to clinch the crown when the two teams meet in the second game for the trophy under western rules at Ottawa to-morrow night.

After the first period the prairie champions were outclassed, and were seldom able to hold the youthful Canadien forwards in check, while the latter, in turn, checked back so determinedly that the invading players found it extremely difficult to get close in on Vezina, and when they did they ran into a sturdy defence in Sprague, Cleghorn and Couture.

Another crowd of 6,500 fans witnessed the game. Prior to the game an ice planers was sent twice over the water-covered sheet and two inches of ice was planed off.

A WONDERFUL RUSH

While decisively beaten, it remained for the Calgary players to provide the smartest piece of hockey of the entire sixty-minute game. Just before the close of the second period, with the count of four to nothing against them, Eddie Oatman was the pivot in a four-man rush toward the Canadien net. A bewildering passing bout in which Oatman, Morris and Gardiner took part, left the latter with the puck and passed the local defence. Gardiner put all his energy into a drive which brought the lone counter for the Tigers.

Besides clever individual work by every member of the local team, there were two outstanding combined attacks by the Canadiens, both of which resulted in goals. The first came right at the face-off in the second period when Morenz secured, passed to Joliat, who rushed in and returned a fast pass to Morenz from behind the net. Before the Tiger defence had got set, Morenz had driven the puck behind Reid for his second of three goals scored during the fray. The second smart tit-bit was a clever rush engineered by Odie Cleghorn, who stickhandled his way to the Tiger defence and left "Billy" Boucher in an excellent position to score.

TIGERS GOT NO BREAKS

Besides playing below their usual form, Calgary was the victims of "breaks." The fifth goal scored against them was a somewhat lucky one. Joliat rushed and shot and the rebound off Reid's pads dropped fifteen feet in front of the goal. Reid and Gardiner both rushed to clear the disc and bungled up the play, leaving the puck for Joliat, with an empty net into which to give it a flip. With it all, Calgary were good losers, and fought a clean game in which only two penalties were inflicted, one to each team.

Tigers made their best showing in the first period and to within fifty seconds of the first rest session they held the Canadiens scoreless. But with the timekeeper ready to fling the bell, Morenz went through on a rush with "Billy" Boucher. Boucher was forced behind the net, but passed out and Morenz whipped in the disc while at close quarters with Reid.

CANADIENS DEFENCE SOUND

Morenz gave the local team a safe margin forty seconds after the start of the second period on a pass from Joliat. Calgary took command for a time, but could not beat the Canadien defence, and the locals again resumed the offensive. Reid's stalwart blocking kept further scoring down until half way through the period when Odie Cleghorn tricked the Tiger defence and gave "Billy" Boucher his chance to figure in the scoring column for the third straight cup game. Shortly after, Morenz netted his third on a lone rush. Then Calgary staged their brilliant rush that brought them their only tally by Gardiner.

With a safe margin Canadiens continued to press and put the result of question when Joliat added another just a little more than three minutes after the start of the third period, and Sprague Cleghorn completed the scoring when he rushed almost from the face-off for an individual credit.

Summary

First period—1, Canadiens, Morenz, 19.10.

Second period—2, Canadiens, Morenz, .50; 3, Canadiens, Boucher, 10.00; 4, Canadiens, Morenz, 3.50; 5, Calgary, Gardiner, 1.30.

Third period—6, Canadiens, Joliat, 2.45; 7, Canadiens, S. Cleghorn, .50.

Montreal, March 24.—Special trains will carry the local supporters and the Calgary and Montreal teams to the game in Ottawa Tuesday afternoon.

Calgary players possess confidence for the second game under the western rule. Their general expression of opinion to-day was that they had played much below their best game. A win for Calgary will necessitate a third game to decided the title.

APPOINTED MANAGER

Newark, N.J., March 24.—Fred Brainard, star second baseman, has been appointed manager of the Newark International League club for 1924.

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RADIO CONCERT

Gyros Almost in Desperation When Machine Failed to Operate at Luncheon

At their luncheon to-day the members of the Gyro Club came within an ace of not getting the radio entertainment which was due to come from the Calgary Club, according to an announcement in the Geranium, the weekly publication of the local club.

For a time it looked as though the radio entertainment would fizzle out like most radio sets do when the operator invites all his friends to come over and listen to concerts from the four points of the compass. After fifteen minutes of anxiety the loud-speaker announced that Calgary was speaking. Then followed a speech in which the local club was scored on many points, and resentment was mounting high when the speaker bid his hearers good afternoon, and the musical programme followed.

Later it developed that other members of the club were broadcasting from another part of the Hudson's Bay Building and when they returned to the diningroom at the finish of the programme they were subjected to a barrage of buns and olives.

Leon Conyers, the well-known local vocalist, was the singer at the luncheon, and his two numbers were rendered in a very artistic manner.

Kiwanian Dave Macfarlane appeared before the Gyros to ask for their support in the minstrel show to be held next month.

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TO EXAMINE PROGRESS ON UNIVERSITY LANDS

To examine progress in the work of laying out B. C. University subdivision lands at Point Grey, Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, will go to Vancouver to-morrow. While on the Mainland he will also investigate complaints of land owners against the establishment of a log booming ground off Spanish Banks.

Building permits have been issued to John Murray for a garage at 2557 Shakespeare Street, and for alterations on the former Red Cross premises, Fort Street, for the club quarters of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Lumber shipments by the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway during the month of March will greatly exceed those of January and February, it was reported at the offices to-day.

A roof fire at 940 Foul Bay Road at 9.51 a.m. yesterday gave the fire engines the sole run of the day. The damage was confined to minor proportions.

Information regarding the production of lead in British Columbia is sought by Fred J. Claxton of Los Angeles. Mr. Claxton mentions that he was a member of the old Board of Trade over twenty years ago.

News items in The Bellingham American referring to Victoria's Maytime Frolic show considerable interest is being taken in the celebrations by the neighboring U.S. city. An exchange of visits during the Bellingham tulip festival and Victorias fete is strongly advocated.

"While the remainder of the country sizzles and stews Puget Sound out-of-doors furnishes precisely the average of equable temperature that is best suited to human comfort," is the way The Seattle Post-Intelligencer comments on the Puget Sound and British Columbia associated joint advertising campaign.

Charged with attempting to steal a motor car owned by Thomas Puclos, Sam Ross, Percy Ross and Alec Mackay were remanded on $200 bail in the city police court this morning. Hearing was set for Tuesday. The accused pleaded not guilty and elected summary trial. P. J. Sinnott and W. P. Marchant appear for the defence.

The locking of steering gear while turning, upset a car driven by George Gardiner at the corner of Moss and Oscar Streets at 2 o'clock to-day. The car turned over on its side and dumped its passengers, who escaped, however, practically unhurt. The accident happened when a wheel locked in the turning manoeuvre.

Suspended sentence on each of seven counts of passing worthless cheques was granted to Undergraduate Nurse Davies, held by the police since her arrest by Detective Phipps on Wednesday last, following an edict by Magistrate Jay in the city police court this morning. Cash and articles to the value of $130 were ordered returned to their owners. Seven city stores were victimized in a period extending over three months.

The sight of three men flitting softly from the vacant lot between Pandora and Cormorant Streets west of Blanshard at 12.45 a.m. on February 20 made Sergeant Boulton suspicious, that officer told Magistrate Jay in the city police court this morning. He investigated and found a barrel with 104 pints of Silver Spring beer. The vacant lot is a "public place" and perhaps that is why the police cannot fine a claimant for the beer. It was ordered to be confiscated.

A very enjoyable evening was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, 2633 Wark Street, in honor of Miss S. Kay who is leaving Victoria for the Summer months. The evening was spent in cards and dancing. A dainty buffet supper was served. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. R. Hodgkinson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Crothall, Mr. and Mrs. Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. C. Goodwin, Mrs. E. Tomlin, Mrs. MacDonald, Miss A. Mosely, Miss S. Kay, Mrs. Sparks, S. Rosskelley, W. Lisney, J. Holness and Master W. Crothall.

SCOUT LEADERS ARE RETURNING

Provinces Sent Representatives to Ottawa Gathering

Provincial Commissioner R. Ross Sutherland, head of Boy Scout organization in the Province, is on his way back from the Ottawa Gillwell training camp which he attended in company with W. D. S. Rorison, Vancouver, as British Columbia representatives. The commissioner will stop at Fernie, Cranbrook, Nelson, Grand Forks, Summerland, Kelowna and other scouting centres enroute.

The course was attended by leaders of the scout movement in Canada from every province and was made possible by the donation of funds from an anonymous well-wisher of the movement. Dr. James W. Robertson opened the course, and the visiting scout leaders were welcomed by Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Premier of Canada. John A. Stiles, assistant Dominion commissioner, conducted the course. Mr. Stiles is well remembered on the Coast, where he instituted the first Gillwell course some time ago. The Gillwell training course is a curriculum of higher instruction for scout officers and leaders. It is modeled after the Gillwell camp in England, where it was first put into practice.

His Excellency the Governor-General, Baron Byng of Vimy, was made scoutmaster of the First (Canada) Gillwell Troop. His Excellency, a scout since the inception of the world-wide movement by Sir Robert Baden Powell, characterized the aims of scouting in Canada as contained in the three Cs—"Christian, Canadian, Citizen." "I expect to be a Scout until the end," said the Chief Scout of Canada to an immense Scout gathering, "morally, physically and spiritually."

The Gillwell campers became the personnel of the First (Canada) Gillwell Troop. Then went through a series of lectures which will in time be handed down through this medium to every Scout in Canada. Rodney Wood, another well-known friend to scouting on the Pacific seaboard, as Dominion camp chief, took a prominent part in the course.

EVENTS TO COME

An entertaining and profitable evening is anticipated by the members of Centennial Y.P.S., who will have as their guest to-night Madam Sanderson of the Victoria College staff. The subject will be "The Youth of the Great" when the speaker will tell of the early experiences of some of her illustrious fellow-countrymen. The meeting is open to all.

ENDORSES PROJECT

Mayor Hayward gave an endorsement to-day to the proposed "Paint-up and Clean-up Week," which the master painters and painters' union plan, to stimulate an improved appearance in the city. In view of the two forthcoming celebrations in May and June, and a large prospective tourist season, His Worship hopes the scheme will be a success.

DRUG SUPPRESSION TOPIC OF LECTURE

Canon Bliss, of Seattle, to Speak on Drug Traffic To-night

Canon W. H. Bliss, president of the White Cross Society in Seattle, and a diligent worker and member of the International Anti-Narcotic Society, will give an address this evening on "America's Part in Drug Suppression." Canon Bliss, as his official connections would imply, is closely in touch with all matters pertaining to the suppression of the drug traffic both in Canada and the United

CANON W. H. BLISS

States, and will have information of value and interest to bring to Victorians to-night.

He will speak under the auspices of the Victoria branch of the Anti-Narcotic Society, with Dr. Melville Raynor in the chair. During the course of the evening Canada's part and connection with the League of Nations' conference to be held in Geneva in the Fall of this year for the consideration of drug traffic problems as they affect the world will be discussed. It is the wish of anti-narcotic workers that Canada be well represented at this conference, and the various branch organizations of the White Cross Society are co-operating in making early arrangements for the work.

The lecture will commence at 8 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

Mrs. Edward Parsons will render vocal selections during the evening.

HIGH SCHOOL FEE SYSTEM SUGGESTED

Allowing For Exemptions About One-Fifth Would be Affected

At a special meeting of the City School Board this afternoon Trustee Brown gave notice that he would move at the regular meeting in April a motion to introduce fees for certain pupils at the High School. This will extend the principle already operative of charging fees for pupils over seventeen years of age.

While not charging fees for first year students, Trustee Brown has in view a scale of $10 for second year, $15 for third year, and those students who fail to complete their course in three years shall be charged a fee equal to that of those students who are now paying a $20 fee. Exemptions would be made for praiseworthy work in the classes, to those students paid for by adjacent municipalities, and for cases where the fees are too burdensome, in which case the fees would be set by consultation between the board and the parents or guardians.

The plan would affect about 200 students.

TWO ISSUES TO ENTAIL DEBATE

City Council Will be Asked to Settle Daylight Saving, and Reverted Lands Question

Two subjects promise to occupy considerable discussion at the meeting of the City Council this evening, one being that of daylight saving the other Alderman Marchant's motion on reverted lands.

In both cases an active canvass has been conducted to indicate public opinion, and the main division on daylight saving is expected to be when Alderman Woodward introduces his motion for an informal plebiscite by postal card. Since discussion in Council last Monday, the Real Estate Board has gone on record in favor of the proposal to hold back sales of reverted lands until the assessed value is reached.

An opportunity will be given the aldermen to pass on the draft lease to the Provincial Game Conservation Board of a portion of the Elk Lake watershed east of the East Saanich Road for a game farm, about forty acres in extent. The details have already been discussed with the chairman of the Board.

An effort will be made, if the Council business is concluded in time, to go into estimates committee.

SCHOOL ESSAYS TO TELL ABOUT BRITISH FLEET

Educational Side of Tour to be Encouraged

An educational campaign is planned among the school children of Vancouver Island in connection with the visit of the British Special Service Squadron, Secretary W. Miller Higgs stated to-day.

The schools will be asked to study their geography with a view to familiarizing themselves with the route of the world encircling fleet, and it is proposed to establish a competition for children in the way of essays bearing on the fleet.

The entertainment committee is anxious to award some contracts for various phases of its programme, but as funds are not yet forthcoming, this important aspect may have to be delayed. Nothing has yet been heard from the Federal and Provincial authorities, the former having been approached through Commander A. Keyes, Vancouver official representative, and the latter through a committee representative of both cities.

The committee is particularly anxious to see the city properly decorated for the occasion, and to lend whatever assistance it can to the proposed paint and clean up week in Victoria.

FAREWELL SERMON PREACHED BY DEAN

On Eve of Departure to Old Land, Dean Quainton Speaks of Future Work

Before a congregation that filled Christ Church Cathedral to its capacity, the Very Rev. Dean Quainton in his sermon last night made several retrospective references to the happiness of his seven years' ministry in Victoria and announced some of his hopes for the future. Among the grounds of thankfulness noted by the preacher, the Dean spoke of an increase of fellowship and service in work for the church and the community, and referred with grateful appreciation to the large congregations which assembled in Summer and Winter at the cathedral services. Many testimonies had been received, he said, to the helpfulness of an atmosphere of peace and prayer which seemed to pervade the cathedral.

In speaking of future prospects and plans, the Dean announced that when the new Memorial Hall building is opened, it is proposed to conduct there instruction classes in religion for children from the public schools. These classes would be held on weekday afternoons for children whose parents desired them to receive such instruction, and would mark, he hoped, the beginning of a movement that would spread through the Province. Next year the Dean said he hoped definite efforts would be made to secure the erection of the nave of the new cathedral. In the meantime, he pointed out that the new buildings, and the extension of work which they would make possible, especially in providing more adequately for the better religious education of the young, would require an increased share of support from more people. He hoped that those who had the welfare of religion at heart and the development of a Christian citizenship would give all possible assistance to the proposed enlargement of the church's work and service.

The Dean preached from the text: "Only let your citizenship be as it becometh the gospel of Christ; that, whether I come and see you, or else be absent, I may hear of your affairs, that ye stand fast in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel" (Philippians 1, 27). A spiritual citizenship, consistency and cohesion were the marks of true religion that was both personal and social, the preacher declared. "Try and look at people as Christ looked at them," the Dean stated, in pointing out that the gospel of Christ called for a response to the Spirit of Love working in the hearts of human beings. "The lives of those who submit to it are illuminated and transfigured by it." The purpose of it all was, he said, not for self-glorification, but the carrying out of the gospel of Christ, which was the only hope of the world.

Dean Quainton leaves on this afternoon's boat to Seattle, en route to New York and England, and expects to return to Victoria early in August.

PLEA FOR FRANCHISE FOR EAST INDIANS

Miss Bruce Addresses Kumtuks Club on Much-Discussed Question

A plea for the dispensation of an impartial justice to East Indian resident in Canada by the extension of the franchise to them as British subjects was made by Miss Bruce in the course of an interesting address before the Kumtuks Club to-day. The speaker pointed to the recent retaliatory legislation considered in the Indian Parliament with a view to the exclusion of Canadians and South Africans as an indication of the burning sense of injustice felt by the East Indians on the attitude of Canada and South Africa in failing to recognize them as British subjects. As the subject is one of tremendous import and ramification, the club will give it further consideration at its next evening meeting on Monday, March 31.

The Kumtuks Club has definitely decided not to enter a candidate in the May Queen contest this year, and the committee in charge will be notified of this decision. To-night the members will meet at the home of Miss Russell, Boyd Street, to practice choruses under the direction of Miss Howell. Reports were given of the recent bridge party and also of the Service Club ball, both of which proved financial and social successes. Mrs. Robinson delighted the gathering with several solos. Mrs. H. P. Hodges presided.

AGAINST DAYLIGHT SAVING

An informal vote taken by Dr. Clem Davies at the Centennial Church last evening on "Daylight Saving" polled a negative tally of 925 to 75 votes in the affirmative. The overwhelming defeat of the time-saving measure was communicated over the radio to the ears of His Worship Mayor Hayward.

BENEFIT CONCERT HAS FINE APPEAL

Huge Crowd Expected at "Billy Muir Affair To-morrow Evening

There is no doubt but that the Billy Muir benefit fund will be swollen to the extent of several hundred dollars as a result of the concert which is to be staged at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium to-morrow evening at eight o'clock. There has been such a demand for tickets that those in charge of the affair are overjoyed at the success which has attended their efforts. Many people who will not be able to attend the concert are buying tickets for the purpose of helping along a worthy cause.

The programme has been arranged and is the finest that has been presented to a Victoria audience this year. Most of the prominent local artists are lending their support, and the programme includes dance, vocal and instrumental numbers.

The duologue with Miss McFadden and Major Bullock Webster as the principals will provide a fitting climax to a splendid show. The duologue is humorous and, with two such splendid elocutionists taking the major roles, it is bound to prove a big feature. The programme is as follows:

Trio, prison scene from "Faust" by Miss Moggey, A. McKinnon and C. Prescott; violin group by Drury Pryce; vocal solos, "Calm as the Night" and "Love Is a Rose" by Mrs. Harry Lasenby; recitation, "Jones Minor's Recitation," by Miss Ella Pottinger; vocal group, "The Rosary" and "Macushla," by Angus McKinnon; solo dance by Miss Roberta Balcom; piano group, "Valse in G Flat" and "Polichinelle," by Miss Vivian Moggey; songs, "Land of the Sky Blue Water" and "Lass With the Delicate Air," by Mrs. Harry Godson; humorous interlude, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Groves; vocal group, "Even Bravest Heart" and "I Fear No Foe," by C. Prescott; violin solo by Drury Pryce; vocal solos, "The Cave" and "My Destiny," by Mrs. Jesse Longfield; duologue, characters, Major Bullock Webster as Jasper Wingfield and Miss Mary McFadden as Betty Wingfield.

Tickets for the concert may be obtained from Fletcher's, Straith's and Campbell's drug store.

BILLY IS CHEERFUL

Many people have been inquiring as to the condition of Billy Muir, who broke his back in a spectacular dive at the Gorge eighteen months ago. He is probably the most cheerful individual in town and now that the fine weather is around again he is able to be out in his wheel-chair. He looks as well as ever and is quite convinced he will get better.

MOTORIST RACED DESCENDING STONE

Johnson Street Bridge Signals Cause of Court Controversy

The narrow escape of a motorist from a serious accident, with possibly fatal results, was described by Chief Operator Robert E. Ford, in charge of the Johnson Street bridge in the city police court this morning. Witness told how Henry Lamb, east bound motorist, passed the first gates after the warning signals had been rung and the bridge about to ascend.

The warning mechanism takes fifteen seconds to complete its mission. The enormous concrete counter weights sink slowly towards the ground. At rest they are about five feet high above the ground. Under this closing barrier the defendant drove his car, and beyond through the barrier gates, where he was stopped by the witness.

With the exception of the red signal light he heard or saw nothing, deposed the defendant, charged with driving imprudently.

Describing the system of alarms the chief operator told of sounding the electric syren. Barrier gates drop, signal bells clang, and red lights flash out at each end of the bridge. All this happened according to plan, said witness, on the day in question.

Proof of the fact that there had been nothing to stop him was that he had gone through the barriers and crossed the bridge, said the defendant, again pleading that he heard nothing in the way of warning signals.

A careful driver would have seen the signals and heard the alarms ruled the Court, imposing a fine of $10.

The case is of interest in that it is the first by the city against infractions of bridge regulations. The occurrence took place a few days after the bridge had been opened formally, and before the use of the signals had been thoroughly understood. The city's object in prosecuting it is understood, is to drive home the use and operation of the bridge signals to avert a fatality from their misuse.

WILL ESTABLISH MATERIAL DEPOT

Organizing For Building New Transmission Line

For the purpose of building the second transmission line of the Vancouver Island Power Company from Jordan River to Humpback Road, a central depot will be established by the company for its material at Sasenios, General Superintendent G. M. Tripp stated this morning.

As already explained the company will equip the line itself owing to the high tenders received, and, immediately the contractor for the clearing has sufficiently advanced his work, the linemen will go to work. Two carloads of cable, ninety miles long, have arrived from Quebec province, and a number of other supplies are now reaching the city. Practically everything has arrived here now for equipping the line except the insulators.

The poles are being delivered along the right of way, and a linemen's camp will be established about twelve miles from the city next month.

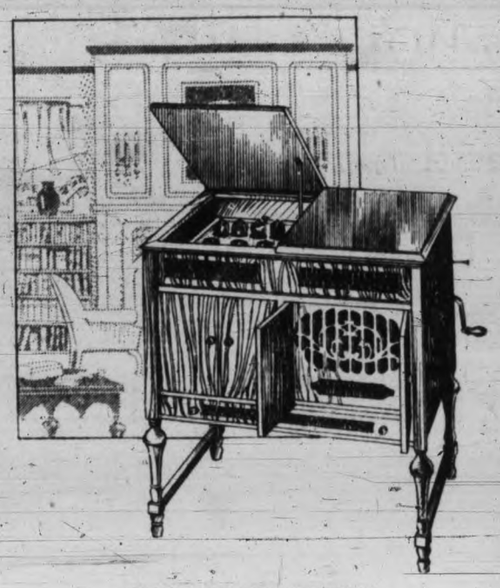
SURVEY OF BEACHES SET FOR TUESDAY

Annual Pilgrimage of Joint Committee Will Occupy All Day in Saanich

The annual pilgrimage to the beaches and parks in Saanich controlled by the Victoria-Saanich beaches and parks committee will be made to-morrow. The leased land at Cadboro Bay, the hill and beach at Mount Douglas, and also the property at Cordova Bay used for picnic grounds, will be inspected. The city has done a good deal of work at Mount Douglas through the committee, while the lots at Cordova Bay belonging to Saanich have been steadily improved. It is also expected that a visit will be paid to the summit of Mount Tolmie, where Saanich has sixteen acres of reserve. Hitherto very little has been done there, but in view of the monster Sunrise Service planned there again in April, it is anticipated that the committee may recommend some expenditure.

This part of the work will occupy the morning, and after lunch at Hamsterley Lakeside, the reserves in the northern part of Saanich, and around Brentwood will be inspected. The most northerly point will be Island View Beach, and then the cars will be directed to Verdier Park, near Brentwood.

It is planned to make a thorough inspection during the tour and outline plans for 1924.



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As a result of a visit of J. Perry, commissioned by the head office of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees, it is expected a union of the men will be formed here.

Mrs. Mattias Rowland, of Burnside, was buried yesterday, there being a large attendance at St. John's Church. Revi Percival Jenns officiated.

H. M. S. Egeria is engaged surveying the Parthia Shoal, half way between the First Narrows and Brockton Point, in Vancouver Harbor.

New Directors For University School

At a recent meeting of the University School Corporation, the following gentlemen were duly elected and added to the board of directors, Sir Charles H. Tupper, K.C., barrister, of Vancouver; D. C. Coleman, vice-president of the C.P.R., Winnipeg; A. C. Burdick, managing director Pacific Salvage Company of Victoria; and B. C. Nicholas, managing editor The Times, Victoria.

It was also announced at this meeting that the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia had graciously consented to become patron of the school.

It has been decided to thoroughly renovate and renew the three main solid brick buildings—the senior school residence building, the Harvey House, and the classroom building—as well as the gymnasium, the dining-room and kitchen. The matter of further additions in the way of laboratories and workshops, which have been strongly recommended by the headmaster, Dr. MacRae, is receiving consideration, and early action is confidently expected.

The new Land Settlement Branch of the Department of Immigration and Colonization, which as recently announced by the Minister, Hon. J. A. Robb, will be charged with the reception and settlement of new agricultural immigrants, is the Soldiers' Settlement Board. In this new colonization work it will be known as the Land Settlement Branch, but in matters dealing with returned soldiers on the land it will continue to be known as the Soldier Settlement Board, and the officers will remain as they are in the Northwest Building, Vancouver.

AT THE THEATRES

'Squibs, M.P.' Will Occupy the Screen At Royal To-day

British House of Commonus Scene Filmed in Laughable Play

Two members of Parliament added a second distinction moving picture) to the letters which follow their names by accepting an invitation from Betty Balfour, the British film comedienne, to play impromptu parts in a House of Commons scene filmed in the studio of Islington for the Welsh-Pearson production, "Squibs M.P.," which is the attraction at the Royal all this week, commencing to-day. A party of M.P.'s had been invited to attend the studio to inspect a very realistic representation of the House of Commons built for the scene, in which nearly 400 people took part and two members of the party, Sir William Bull and Mr. Collingwood Hughes, having been invited to tender their advice on points of procedure and characteristics of the House, were eventually persuaded to take their seats in the studio House of Commons. Both were a little shy at first of facing the camera, but with 400 cheering people around them they soon succumbed to the atmosphere of enthusiasm and entered wholeheartely into the spirit of the scene.

Funnily enough although both are Conservative members, they found themselves taking part in a Government defeat directly due to a very spirited impromptu maiden speech by a new lady member (in the film), Squibs, otherwise Betty Balfour, who passed from such serious matters as the waste of public money on the Singapore naval base to such domestic affairs as babies. Miss Balfour's "We want more babies! We must have better and better and better babies," "brought down the House," and both Sir William Bull and Mr. Collingwood Hughes joined in the general merriment, of which a full throated echo will be heard when the British public sees the scene on the screen.

Mae Marsh in The Film Version Of "Daddies"

Local Screen Patrons to Witness Great Belasco Success

When "Daddies" plays at the Dominion Theatre this week you will have an opportunity to see one of the best screen offerings of the season. This is a picturization of the David Belasco stage success that had such a long and successful run in the New York and Chicago theatres. It is a delightful comedy drama, redolent with pathos and heart appeal, presented by a splendid cast. It is another of the Warner Brothers screen classics.

In the cast of "Daddies" you will see such well-known screen favorites as Mae Marsh, Harry Myers, Claire Adams, Craufurd Kent, Claude Gillingwater, Millie Davenport and others.

Bachelor life, single blessedness, call it what you will, furnishes the motive power for "Daddies." It is the story of five Yale men who, while yet in college, form a bachelors' club. Each agrees not to marry unless he first pays a $5,000 resignation fee to the club. The story opens with the annual club banquet.

A suggestion is adopted at this banquet which, unbeknown to the members, sign the club's death warrant. Each member of the club agrees to adopt a war orphan. Later one member finds out his "orphan" is a beautiful girl seventeen years old. Another finds his "orphan" to be triplets. Then the bachelors each learn that adopting orphans is an easy matter but looking after them is a much different thing.

The attempts of the foster fathers to look after their charges give rise to some exquisite comedy, intermingled with real heart interest. Of course, the inevitable happens. Each finds, with the exception of the one who adopted the seventeen-year-old orphan, that child-raising requires the gentle hand of a mother. They had all fallen so deeply in love with their respective children that it seemed easier to get a mother than lose the child. In the case of the bachelor who adopted the young lady it is another story. But in the end everything is solved by all five getting married and providing nice homes and good parents for a bunch of promising youngsters.

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"The Fighting Coward."
Royal—"Squibs, M.P."
Dominion—"Daddies."
Playhouse—"The Coast of Opportunity."
Columbia—"Kentucky Days."

Music-Lovers' Night at the Royal

The programme of music arranged for music-lover's night to-night at the Royal will no doubt compare very favorably with those already rendered. In addition to the usual musical programme Mr. Prescott, the leader, has also arranged a very fine selection of music to accompany the feature film, Betty Balfour, in "Squibs M.P.," the great English comedy, which will be the attraction all this week. Some of the numbers to be rendered during the evening are as follows:

Overture, Ruy Blas, Mendelssohn; valse, Millicent, McKee; Air de Ballet, Herbert; Twilight, Cesek; Serenade, Cesek.

In the Court House of a certain city is a melancholy attendant who, when asked to direct people to the bureau of marriage licenses, inquires lugubriously: "Do you insist?"

"Well, yes."

"Third door to the right."

Colorful Story Being Presented At Columbia

Dustin Farnum Stars in "Kentucky Days," Story of Early Days

In his latest William Fox production Dustin Farnum lends his tangled wilderness of the country in '49, to open the western regions to wholesale cultivation.

"Kentucky Days," the title which will shine at the Columbia Theatre where it opens to-day for an engagement to last until Wednesday night, suggests in addition to transcontinental adventure, the glorious days that were Kentucky's in '49, when slavery had not been abolished with the delicious mint julep.

The story is inevitably exciting, colorful and pungently picturesque. The new role enacted by Dustin Farnum merely serves as a further illustration of that actor's enormous and apparently unfathomable talent.

Margaret Fielding as the unfaithful wife, Miss Woodthorpe, Bruce Gordon and William DeVaull, constitute the supporting cast. The drama was directed by David Solomon.

AT THE CAPITOL

Ernest Torrence in the Paramount Picture "The Fighting Coward"

AT THE COLUMBIA

DUSTIN FARNUM in "KENTUCKY DAYS" WILLIAM FOX PRODUCTION

Prisoner Hero Blinded Guard With Mirror

"The Coast of Opportunity" Is Released by W. W. Hodkinson, at Playhouse

Fred Stovers, the eminent screen author who wrote the continuity for J. Warren Kerrigan's latest Brunton production, "The Coast of Opportunity," released by W. W. Hodkinson and now showing at the Playhouse Theatre, derives some of his best ideas from the daily newspapers.

An example of Stover's ability to glean film material from news stories occurs in "The Coast of Opportunity." In one scene Kerrigan is held prisoner in a deserted shack. An armed Mexican is standing guard at the door. Kerrigan produces a small pocket mirror and reflects a bright shaft of sunlight in the man's eyes. Before the guard recovers from his blindness Kerrigan leans upon him and wrests away his gun. This incident actually occurred in real life. While being taken by train to San Quentin prison, James Caldwell, the Los Angeles bank bandit, temporarily blinded his guard with a mirror and overpowered him. Stovers read of the feat in his morning paper and adapted it to the screen.

REQUEST NIGHT AT BAND CONCERT

Well-known Selections by the Sixteenth Scottish Band

The fifteenth concert of the Winter series of band concerts, given by the 16th Canadian Scottish Band, took place last night at the Capitol Theatre before a large and interested audience. "Request Night" has always proved unusually attractive at these concerts and the programme, consisting of entirely specially requested numbers, gave great enjoyment. Among those particularly finding favor were the "Mikado" selection, the "Slavonic Rhapsody," in which Bandmaster James M. Miller got the best out of his able forces, "In a Monastry Garden" and the "Three Dances From Henry VIII.," to which were added extra numbers in response to the enthusiastic requests of those present.

MISS FRASER AND ERNEST PETCH

Both the vocalists, Miss Mamie Fraser, soprano, and Ernest Petch, baritone, gained much distinction. The former is one of the city's foremost singers in the ranks of the amateur, and in "Morning" (Only Speaks), a delightful song specimen, she evinced many elements of sound study, keen intelligence in production of her tones, and a naturalness that go a long way in making it a pleasure to hear this ardent student. To the clamorous appeal for another number Miss Fraser gave "Rose of My Heart" (Hermann Lohr) with capital effects.

Ernest Petch received a splendid reception and the demonstrations of applause both before and after the well-delivered song, "A Fat Li'l Feller Wid His Mammy's Eyes" (Sherman Gordon), gave testimony of his popularity in music and art circles. The compelling plaudits of his listeners brought forth another number, the gifted singer responding in admirable manner with "Danny Boy" (Weatherley). So insistent were the demands here, too, for further efforts that Mr. Petch again sang the second verse. Mrs. Clifford Warn accompanied excellently as usual.

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Green Room Notes

Sir John Martin Harvey, during the present tour, which will bring him to Victoria, April 21, has his son travelling with the company. During the three weeks they were in Winnipeg the boy attended the Art School there, and every day about the closing hour Sir John went to see what work his son had been doing during the day.

F. G. C. Wood, a Victorian who was one of the professors appointed at the Provincial University soon after it was organized, is again winning laurels in connection with the production of the "World and His Wife," by the Players Club of the University. The club gave an excellent performance of the play at the Edson Theatre, New Westminster, last week. This makes the ninth of their annual Spring performances.

Those who remember the tremendous interest taken in the historic pageants arranged in the English towns between 1905, when the first was played in the historic castle grounds at Sherborne, Dorset, to the period just before the war, will learn with interest that the Village Drama Society is making progress. While the pageants were designed to bring out local talent, and foster community spirit, the village dramas are planned to make a study of the people, and make it of English growth. A dialect play has again been recently presented at Grasmere, in Westmoreland, with characters drawn from the Fellside, in which the plot is secondary to the desire to give truthful representation to action and thought characteristic of the Lakeside country. Except during the war years, plays of this nature have been regularly presented for thirty years, and the repertoire now consists of twelve plays, four written by Miss Fletcher, and eight arranged by Mrs. Rawnsley.

The wires last week carried the news of the death of Barney Bernard, famous comedian, who created the roll of Abe Potash in Potash and Perlmutter. He had appeared in nearly fifty productions, and was a leading Hebrew comedian. His success in the character of a cloak and suit dealer disclosed that he had fled to the stage to escape the efforts of his parents to force him into the clothing business.

If the plan of a street pageant in which the actors would be school children, representing the various historic episodes of Vancouver Island, in connection with the Victoria Day celebration should materialize, the opportunity will be given to the children to show their histrionic talent in a way which has not occurred here before. Much of the success of the project will depend upon the successful coaching of the children, and a correct blending of the various incidents into a harmonious whole. The special Hudson's Bay Company display of 1920 shows what can be done in this connection.

The proposal of Sir Martin Harvey to produce the great Oedipus Rex here will give the public an opportunity of a rare character, genuine Greek drama from the most famous of the three Attic leaders of dramatic construction. Sophoclean drama is to the ancient classics what Shakespearan is to the English speaking world. The plot of the Oedipus Rex is one of the most inspiring of tragic themes, and judging by what the critics have said, the presentation should receive a warm welcome. It is one of the seven or eight great plays of Sophocles, and should be an education as well as an entertainment to Victoria theatregoers. Like Shakespeare Sophocles took common place stories, and made them vital, living forces. Just as the dramatists of the seventeeth century failed to measure up to the great Elizabethan age, so did the successors of Aeschylus, Sophocles and Euripedes fail to reach the same level of the Athenian stage, which declined after the third century B. C.

A group of workmen were holding a lively argument. Presently one of the men turned to a mate who had remained silent during the whole debate.

"'Ere, Bill," he said, "you're pretty good at any argyment. Wot's your opinion?"

"I ain't goin' to say," said Bill. "I thrashed the matter out afore with Bob Jones."

"Ah!" said the other, "and what did you arrive at?"

"Well," said Bill, "Bobb 'e arrived at 'orspital an' I arrived at the police station!"—London Weekly Telegraph.

Young Vocalists In Recital Before Eminent Teacher

Miss McGregor gave an excellent recital at her studio, Broughton Street, Saturday night. In her opening remarks she said she was doing a rather unusual thing in choosing two of her youngest pupils to give the programme; but they had worked so hard and done so well in a short time that she felt like testing them. Mr. H. B. Turpin, the well-known teacher and coach of Mr. Cecil Fanning, the famous American baritone, was present, and expressed himself delighted with the voices and work of the students and with the fact that they had memorized their songs. In an interesting talk he advised them to continue earnestly in the work of training mind as well as voice, for study and hard work are the only roads to success.

Miss Jaynes has a pretty lyric soprano voice, and Miss Elliot a rich contralto of good range. Miss Monica Davies was the assistant artist, and delighted those present with her playing. Mrs. Miller ably accompanied the singers.

Following is the programme: Duet, "May Morning" (Denza), solo, "Girometta" (Sibella), Stella Jaynes; solo, "Then I Think of Margarita" (Meyer-Helmund), Phyllis Elliot; (a) "Gossiping" (Dodge), (b) "The Star" (Rogers), (c) "Fallen Leaves" (Logan), Stella Jaynes; piano, (a) "Lento" (Cyril Scott), (b) "Hungarian Love Dance" (Brahms); (a) "Under the Rose" (Fisher), (b) "The Temple Bells" (Woodforde-Finden), (c) "Cradle Song" (Brahms), Phyllis Elliot; solo, "Chascun lo Dice" (Donizetti), Stella Jaynes; solo, "Calvary" (Rodney), Phyllis Elliot. After the singing of the National Anthem, Mr. Turpin came forward again and gave a delightful sketch of his meeting with the King and Queen when Mr. Fanning was invited to sing before them at the American Ambassador's.

Compton Staging Laughable Farce on Return Here

In choosing "A Little Bit of Fluff" as the vehicle in which to make his reappearance in Victoria, Francis Compton has certainly secured a big winner. The farce, which was voted the most amusing one seen in London for generations, is a splendid combination of ludicrous situations, clever lines and brisk action. Add to all this a little French daring, and you have the required components for a really amusing and laughable farce. Victorians are certain to flock to Pantages Theatre during Mr. Compton's engagement here, commencing March 27, not only for the high regard in which he is held by so many, but also for the excellent reports received from those who saw "A Little Bit of Fluff" in London.

"A Chinese Honeymoon" Potted Comic Opera at Playhouse To-night

To-night will see the opening performances of the potted comic opera, "A Chinese Honeymoon," at the Playhouse. This opera is composed almost entirely of laughter and good music and, judging from the rehearsals, should prove one of the most popular and entertaining of Mr. Hincks' many successes. Ernie Petch has his beloved role of a Yorkshireman and it's not hard to foretell that he is going to be funnier than ever before.

On the screen will be seen J. Warren Kerrigan, the star of "The Covered Wagon," in his new masterpiece, "The Coast of Opportunity," which from advance notices should be a wonderful picture. There is also the usual comedy.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, March 24—5 a.m.—The barometer is rising on the Coast and fine, cold weather is general over this Province. Moderately cold weather prevails in the prairies, accompanied with snow.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 40; wind, 16 miles N.; weather, fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 22; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 32; minimum, 14; wind, 10 miles S.E.; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 32; wind, 6 miles E.; weather, clear.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, .01; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles N.E.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 42; wind, 6 miles W.; rain, .12; weather, rain.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	56	40
Vancouver	52	32
Penticton	48	..
Nelson	48	..
Winnipeg	42	22
Toronto	51	..
Ottawa	54	..
Montreal	46	..
Halifax	48	..

BUSY WEEKS ARE AHEAD FOR BOYS

Y.M.C.A. Plans Many Activities For Coming Month in Boys' Department

The Boys Council of the Y.M.C.A. here plans to finish its indoor season in a manner fitting to a year of unusual activity, and with this end in view the representatives of the various clubs, which form the council, are arranging competitions which will arouse considerable interest and enthusiasm. The competitions will be of an interclub nature, and will include branches of indoor athletics, swimming, Bible study tests, a basketball tournament and an oratorical contest. This latter is a somewhat novel departure in boys' competitive activities, and chosen representatives of the clubs will meet and speak on subjects which are yet to be arranged.

Another topic of interest to which the boys are now looking forward with anticipation, is the closing club banquet, to be held on May 2, at which every member of the boys' division is present, is on a par, as far as popularity is concerned, with any of the other activities of the department. Each club has a separate table, and the evening is always one of keen enjoyment.

Officials of the association are now making the final arrangements for the Easter Y.M.C.A. camp at Beaver Lake. The fine weather which is usually prevalent at this time of year in Victoria and its environs, always draws many boys to the camping site during the Easter holidays, and this year it is expected that greater numbers than usual will take advantage of the short period for outdoor recreation and fun which the Y.M.C.A. offers.

A Clydeside stevedore, who was "fou," tumbled into a dock and was with difficulty saved from drowning. He thanked his rescuer warmly, and presented him with half a crown.

"The "long arm of coincidence" got to work, and the same thing occurred again two months later. The same man pulled him out, and he received the same heartfelt compliments.

Then the sobered-up stevedore said: "There will be nae siller coming t' ye this time, laddie. I paid ye a retail price last time, and it should hae been wholesale."

Bishop O'Donnell Pays Visit to St. Louis College

Bishop Thomas O'Donnell accompanied by Archbishop Sinnott of Winnipeg, Archbishop O'Leary of Edmonton, Msgr. Leterme and several of the local and visiting clergy, were the guests of the Christian Brothers and their pupils at St. Louis College on Friday.

The hymn, "Vivat Pastor Bonus," was sung by the boys as their Lordships were entering the schoolroom.

In opening the proceedings, the principal, Rev. Br. T. G. Grangel, in a brief address welcomed the visiting prelates, and expressed the feelings of the staff and pupils in being so signally honored. To the new bishop he offered a special welcome, congratulating him on his appointment and assuring him of the constant love and loyalty of the Christian Brothers and their pupils in the city of Victoria. After the principal's speech a beautifully illuminated address on behalf of the Brothers and pupils was read and presented to Bishop O'Donnell by Master Brian Neary.

His Lordship after bestowing his blessing, spoke in eloquent language of the qualifications requisite for true manhood. He pointed out to the boys what things were to be avoided and what to be cultivated if they were to develop along lines calculated to make honored members of the church and useful citizens of the state. Without such character development, the bishop remarked, there could be no proper self culture. He exhorted the boys to be delligent in their studies, and always respond to the efforts of their teachers. The remarks of His Lordship were listened to with rapt attention by his youthful auditors.

Archbishop Sinnott addressed the boys. He spoke at some length on the necessity of having a proper outlook on life. He advised his hearers to seek the things that are worth while and not waste their energies in pursuit of less important matters. The cultivation of the mind and heart was ever to be their foremost aim.

He congratulated the boys on their splendid appearance and good behavior, expressing his confidence that they would surely exemplify in their lives the splendid training they were receiving.

Archbishop O'Leary in a sparkling discourse, congratulated the boys in having such a wonderful bishop as the Rt. Rev. Thomas O'Donnell. He spoke of his admirable qualities of mind and heart-qualities which have endeared him to the hearts of all. He expressed himself as satisfied that the younger members of His source of joy and happiness to the heart of their Lordship's flock would ever by their distinguished bishop. His Grace injected many humorous anecdotes into his remarks, whose effectiveness was intensified by being expressed in most felicitous terms.

Rev. Father Cline spoke to the students reminding them of all that was required from Catholic boys. He stressed the importance of an upright character on all who wished to be of good standing with their neighbor. Having had much experience in dealing with boys he was able to give them sound advice on matters pertaining to good citizenship.

After the addresses the boys gave a very tuneful rendering of "The Music of the Birds."

Proclaiming a holiday for the pupils the eminent dignitaries departed having added a memorable day to the annals of St. Louis College.

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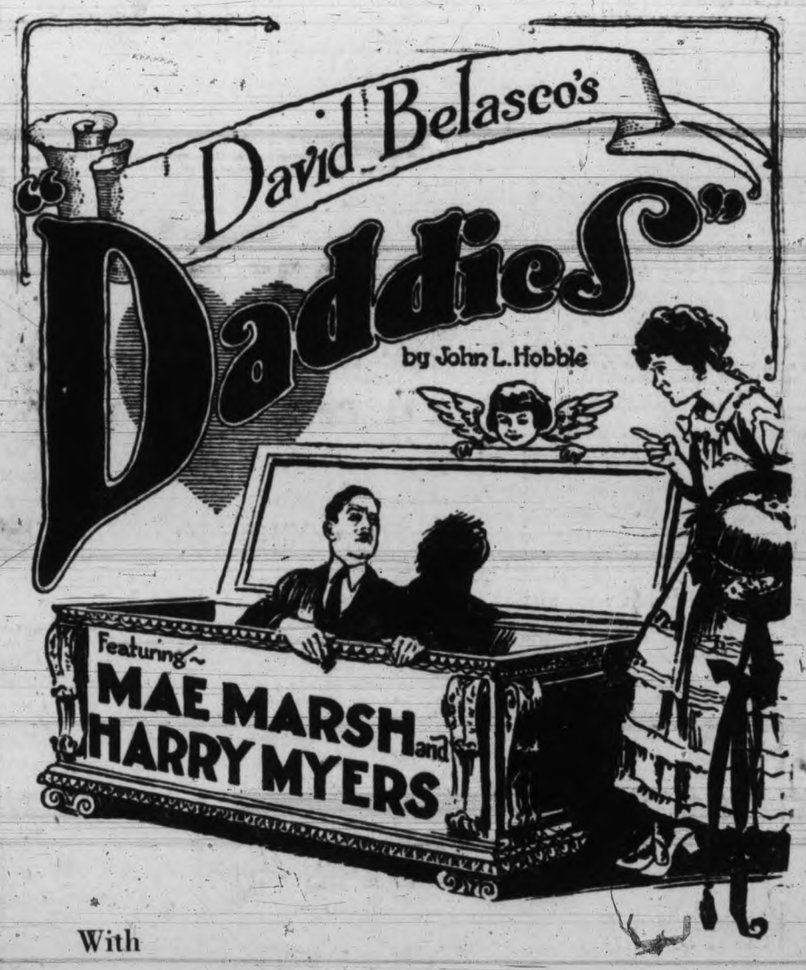

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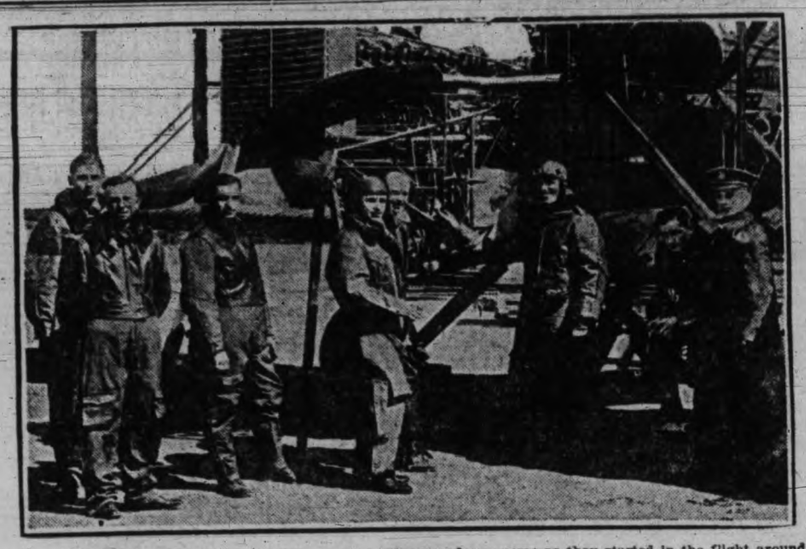
SERIES IV.—CHAPTER I.
Starring BILLY SULLIVAN

News and Review
Felix the Globe-trotter

OPTIMIST.—He always smiles whether he has a toothache or not. He (or she) is the only member of the pelican family that isn't constantly wearing a sour expression. This old bird gets a good laugh out of the seriousness with which other pelicans take life. He (or she) is the family jokesmith. Most of the funny stories told by traveling salesmen are originated by him (or her). That must be why they're so difficult to laugh at. Also started this old one: "This is the funny old pelican, whose beak holds more than his belly can—" Take good notice of the grin. Silly, isn't it?

HERE IS TALKATIVE GASTON.—Gaston B. Means, former department of justice secret agent, who to-day involved many of America's most prominent men in charges of alleged bribery and corruption.



'ROUND THE WORLD.—These are the officers and non-coms as they started in the flight around the world. They hopped off from Clover Field, Los Angeles. From left to right are Sergeants H. H. Ogden, A. H. Turner and A. L. Harvey; Lieutenants L. Wade and E. H. Nelson; Major F. L. Martin, flight commander, and Lieutenants Lowel Smith and L. L. Arnold. Plane No. 1 is shown in this picture.

DOUG AND MORRIE.—Morris Gest, the producer, and Douglas Fairbanks, star of moviedom, felt so happy over the signing of a new contract that they celebrated by exchanging hats without really knowing what they were doing, but the photographer caught them before they discovered the mistake and said, "Well, anyhow, a fair exchange is no robbery, even when it comes to signing contracts." The contract in question was one whereby Gest will present the newest play of Fairbanks, a fantastical Oriental production, on which Fairbanks worked sixteen months. In this Gest says he will present American art to Europe, instead of vice versa, as has been his custom.

TRY THIS WITH YOUR PIANO.—Kathe Wermke, the seventeen-year-old strong girl of Berlin, does the above little stunt every day before breakfast, it is said. Works up her appetite, so to speak.

BEAUTY OPERATION FAILED.—Mrs. Minnie Chaplin, wife of Sidney Chaplin, brother of the famous Charles of motion picture fame, who is suing a Los Angeles plastic surgeon for $100,000 damages, alleging that an operation designed to beautify her nose by removing a depression resulted in infection which will permanently disfigure her face.

SUCCEEDS DENBY. — Curtis D. Wilbur, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of California, who has accepted a portfolio in the Coolidge Cabinet as Secretary of the Navy.

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LOOKS LIKE A BUSY JUNE IN EUROPE!—Leap year probably will see at least three royal weddings in Europe. And no doubt it will steal away all the marriageable sons and daughters of the kings and queens of Italy and Belgium. Those who say they are informed on the imperial matchmaking figure it all out like this: Prince Nicholas of Roumania and Princess Mafiada, Victor Emmanuel's second daughter, shown on the right, will go to the altar first. Then there will be a double wedding in which Princess Marie of Belgium becomes the bride of Humbert, Italian crown prince, centre, and Princess Giovana, Mafiada's younger sister, becomes the wife of Leopold, Albert's eldest son and heir to the Belgian throne.

WIN LONG GRIND.—Marcel Buysse and Maurice Brocco, veteran bike riders, won the recent Madison Square Garden six-day race, and are shown receiving acclaim of the crowd afterward.

SCHOOL DAYS

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By DWIG

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's Coat

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(By Howard R. Garis)

The bad old Bob Cat, with his silly little tail, sat in the den of the Woozie Wolf, laughing at him and at the Fuzzy Fox, who was also there.

"Ha! Ha!" chuckled the Bob Cat. "What's so funny?" growled the Wolf.

"To think of you two chaps trying to catch Uncle Wiggily by taking his shoes, and then expecting him to come here to your den to get them back!" laughed the Bob Cat. "That's what's so funny."

"Was it any funnier than when you went in to nibble his ears and went away with only some bread and sugar?" asked the Fox.

"Of course it was!" giggled the Bob Cat. "I got some bread and sugar. All you chaps got was a tickle in the ribs from the club of the Police Dog. Listen, you didn't do it right!"

"What should we have done?" asked the Wolf.

"Instead of taking Uncle Wiggily's shoes you should have taken his trousers or his hat," spoke the Bob Cat. "You might know he wouldn't come out in the snow in wet shoes to look for a dry pair. A hat or a pair of trousers is different."

He hurried out of the bungalow.

"Suppose you try to get Uncle Wiggily here to my den, if you are so smart," growled the Wolf. "We'll leave it to you to play a trick on that rabbit."

"Yes," agreed the Fox. "And if Uncle Wiggily comes here to the Wolf's den, to get back something you take away from his hollow stump bungalow, we'll give you some nibbles off his ears."

"I'll do it," promised the Bob Cat.

Over the fields and through the woods he ran with his silly little tail, until he reached the hollow stump bungalow of the rabbit gentleman. As it happened, Uncle Wiggily and Nurse Jane were out, so the Bob Cat slipped in and took one of Uncle Wiggily's coats.

In its place he left note which said:

"Come to the den of the Wolf and get your coat. Yours sincerely, we love you dearly."

"I'll sign it that way instead of with a name," the Bob Cat whispered to himself as he hurried out of the bunaglow with the rabbit gentleman's coat.

Now, as it happend, Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy reached home first that day. The muskrat lady housekeeper hurried into the bunaglow and saw the Bob Cat's note in place of Uncle Wiggily's coat.

"The very idea!" squeaked Nurse Jane. "I'll go to the Wolf's den myself and get that coat back! The idea! Um!"

But before she went out she wrote another note for Uncle Wiggily, pinning it to the one the Bob Cat had left.

"Dear Wiggily," wrote Nurse Jane, "I have gone to the Wolf's den, all by myself, to get your coat back!"

You can imagine how surprised Wiggily was when he hopped into his hollow stump bungalow and read the two notes.

"Ha! So those bad chaps are up to their tricks again!" cried the rabbit gentleman. "But the worst of it is Nurse Jane has gone to the Wolf's den! And without a Police Dog! I would much rather lose a dozen coats than have her ears nibbled; I must save her!"

Not stopping, even to twinkle his pink nose, Uncle Wiggily hopped over the fields and through the woods, until he reached the den of the Woozie Wolf. Pausing outside for a moment, the rabbit gentleman listened to voices inside.

"Have you Uncle Wiggily's coat here?" he heard Nurse Jane ask.

"Indeed, we have, my dear Miss Fuzzy Wuzzy," spoke the Fox in an oily voice and as sweet as molasses.

"Here it is," went on the Bob Cat. "But we can't give it up to anyone but Uncle Wiggily himself. Tell him to come and——"

"Here I am now!" cried the brave rabbit gentleman, leaping into the dark and dismal den.

"Oh!" howled the Wolf.

"Oh! Oh!" howled the Fox.

"Oh! Oh! Oh" howled the Bob Cat.

Then the three bad chaps looked hungrily at the bunny's ears. But Uncle Wiggily wasn't afraid. He had a trick in his mind.

"Where is my coat?" he asked.

"Here," answered the Bob Cat, holding it up.

The rabbit gentleman looked down inside one sleeve and pretended to see something in it, though really nothing was there.

"What have you put in my sleeve?" he asked.

"Why, nothing at all," exclaimed the surprised Bob Cat, and he thrust one paw into a sleeve of the rabbit's coat to show that nothing was there.

"What's in the other sleeve?" asked the bunny.

"Nothing at all," said the Fox, and he put one paw in the second sleeve to show that it was empty.

But no sooner did the Fox and Bob Cat have their paws in the sleeves of his coat than Uncle Wiggily gave the Wolf a push, sending him over backward. The Wolf fell against the Bob Cat and Fox. And as these two bad chaps were tangled up in the coat, with their paws in the sleeves, where they couldn't get them out, all three went down together in a heap on the floor of the den, all mixed up.

"Come one Nurse Jane! Never mind my coat; it was an old one that I was going to throw away," cried the bunny. "Let's run."

And out of the Wolf's den they ran, safe and sound, before the bad chaps could untangle themselves from the bunny's old coat.

So everything came out all right, and no ears were nibbled, and if the front steps will only stop dancing long enough for the milkman to crawl up them and paste a postage stamp on the door knob, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the runaways.

Starved Hearts

A NEW SERIAL STORY

By MILDRED BARBOUR

CHAPTER XV

AN INTERESTED STRANGER

At first Madelon made no mention to Barbara of the stranger who seemed to take such an intense interest in her.

He made no attempt to address her. Though he seemed always at hand to open doors for her, to extend her the many little courtesies which test the breeding of fellow travelers, it was always with a casual, impressed air to which it was impossible to take exception.

She found her curiosity strangely piqued. This was surely not an attempt at a common train flirtation. His appearance, too, piqued her interest. Though she had never looked at him directly, because his grave gaze seemed always to envelop her, she gained the impression of dark lithe grace, of hair slightly greying above the temples, of inscrutable dark eyes. There was the cosmopolitan poise suggestive of the far traveler about him.

It was Barbara herself who finally spoke of him to Madelon.

"You seem to have made a conquest," she remarked at luncheon one day when the stranger occupied his table facing them, as usual. "It seems to me I have noticed that same man each mealtime, and he is invariably watching you."

Madelon shrugged.

"I stumble over him occasionally in the corridors too. You don't suppose Uncle Stephen has sent a detective along to see that we conduct ourselves properly, do you?"

"He hardly looks the part, does he?" Barbara smiled slightly. "No, I should rather say that you have fascinated him. You know you're very lovely, Madelon, and part of your charm is your complete unconsciousness of it. There will be many men at your feet."

Madelon looked out over the bleak prairie landscape through which they were passing. Her eyes clouded.

"There will be only one in my heart—ever. And that is Julian."

Barbara's slim hand stretched across the narrow table to Madelon's. There was sympathy in her white fingertips.

"You are very young to care like that."

"My mother cared that way," said Madelon. "She was very beautiful and considered a coquette; but she told me that she never loved but one man in all her life and that was my father. And when Uncle Stephen tried to take him from her, she fought a better fight than I, because she won."

Barbara made no comment.

Back in their stateroom, she sat by the window, her chin resting on one slim hand, her eyes following the moving landscape.

Madelon's words returned to her. Should she have fought, she wondered? Would it have brought her anything but sorrow? Deep in her heart, she felt that she could have won the love of Duane Farley, if she had not chosen to put him out of her life. Strong and honorable and clean as he was, she could have had her way once the full battery of her beauty and charm was turned upon him. Even his love for Madelon must have succumbed.

But she had chosen the honorable course. What would be her reward? Would the ache in her heart ever cease? Must she go on her lonely way?

She closed her eyes against the slow tears that gathered under the lids.

"It's fearfully stuffy in here," Madelon spoke from the lounge on the other side of the compartment. "I believe I'll go out on the observation platform for a while. Want to come?"

"No thanks. I think I'll sleep a bit. I didn't rest very well last night."

"Where's the new novel you were reading yesterday? I'd like to try it?"

Barbara motioned to her traveling bag.

"Look in the pocket on the left."

On her knees in the swaying compartment, Madelon delved into the bag. But, mistakenly, she slipped her hand into the right, and not the left hand, pocket. The book she brought forth was not the novel, but Barbara's diary.

Before she could replace it, a photograph fell from its pages.

Duane Farley's handsome, tawny eyes laughed up at her.

Startled, Madelon glanced up at Barbara, but the latter was still sitting with averted eyes. So she replaced the tell-tale picture hastily and thrust the book back into its pocket.

Finding the novel, she crushed a hat down upon her fair hair and slipped in to her furs. Before she went out, she bent and laid her lips against Barbara's hair.

There was a tenderness and infinite compassion in her gesture. She had not known how it was with Barbara. She felt suddenly drawn much closer to her. Not because the man Barbara cared for had once been her own suitor, but because she realized that Barbara's departure for the West was really flight and signified her renunciation of a love that might have been. They were sisters in sacrifice!

She was relieved to find the platform deserted, for her own unhappiness came flooding back upon her stirred by her glimpse of Barbara's heart. On a sudden impulse, she took a pencil from her handbag and on the flyleaf of Barbara's book she scrawled a few desperate lines to Julian Barton, lines which she knew she would never send, but whose very expression relieved her overburdened heart.

When she had finished, she read them over and then, slowly with a little bitter smile, she detached the page and tore the written message to bits.

As the last scrap left her hand and soared high in the air with the wind from the flying train, something bade her turn her head.

Watching her gravely from the opposite corner was the strange dark man. How had he come so silently?

To be continued

Moneysacks (sternly) — "James, after this, please uncork all the bottles in my presence. I notice that when you draw the corks in the pantry the wine is extremely decollete."

Butler—"Extremely decollete, sir?"

"Yes, James; very low in the neck."

Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, March 24, 1924

MARKET EXHIBITS RESISTANCE TO SELLING

(By R. P. Clark)—Perusual of the remarkably favorable exhibit of the U.S. Steel Corporation for 1923 had a helpful effect on the stock of that company and on the general list in the early dealings.

However, as the session progressed renewed pressure made its appearance in isolated parts of the list, particularly so in the motor and motor accessories shares. Later advises from leading auto centres to the effect that recent reports in circulation regarding reduction in operation and lay off of men were unfounded had a beneficial effect and short covering in some of the motors ensued.

Another interesting news item of the day was the report for the week ended March 22 showing a further reduction in California crude oil output which was taken as further evidence of the improving situation in the petroleum industry.

Liquidation continues its appearance in isolated sections of the market but the standard shares seem to be in an area where they are offering more resistance to selling pressure.

We think that prospective developments in the oil industry warrant the expectation of higher prices in this group.

STOCKS TURN WEAK AT CLOSE TO-DAY

New York, March 24 (By B. A. Bond)—The publication of the yearly report of the U.S. Steel Corporation brought in some buying in the stock market this morning. U.S. Steel opened up nearly two points and other steels sympathized moderately. The oils and rails too, were firmer. There was no general advance, however, and after the first flurry there seemed to be plenty of the speculative issues for sale on each rally. Studebaker was a weak feature early in the session and sold at a new low, but subsequently rallied to Saturday's closing figure.

Sentiment in the street is favorable to a substantial rally on account of the short interest which is believed to exist in some of the higher priced active stocks but last hour fluctuations tended lower and the market closed soft with Studebaker a fraction above its low. American Can and American Wool were weak features the former being influenced by reports of uncertainty as to whether the usual extra dividend will be declared at to-morrow's meeting. Sentiment at the close was bearish traders being disappointed at the action of the market in the face of constructive news features

NEW LOW PRICES IN CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, March 24 (By R. P. Clark)—New low prices for the crop were made for May wheat to-day, the decline coming as the result of further selling of long wheat. The combination of fine weather over the Winter wheat belt, with the lack of export buying has left the market in a weak position. Bulls apparently have overstayed their market and the holders are paying the price for holding the market above an export parity for so many months.

From present indications there is no particular incentive to buy until we reach a level where there will be some way of disposing of our surplus. Visible stocks decreased 1,032,000 bushels but this did not have much effect. Private cables reported a weak situation on the other side.

The general tone at the close was weak and prices appear to be headed for still lower levels.

Corn: The heavy covering by shorts last week left the market in a weaker position technically and as a result the break in wheat put renewed pressure on coarse grains.

Another bear factor was the increase of 1,924,000 bushels in the visible supply. The market to-day also has been handicapped by the slow export and domestic cash trade as well as by an absence of an aggressive bull support, outside of a few locals. Primary receipts are still larger than a year ago and local receipts were 183 cars, a fairly adequate supply in view of the limited demand. We think it will be hard to hold corn prices without more active eastern spot buying.

Oats—Were steady early but later eased off with other grains. Cash prices were steady and receipts were small eighty three cars, here with 541,000 in the West vs. 1,216,000 a year ago. Visible decrease 732,000 bushels. The oats have much in their favor but no initiative will likely be shown until other markets also are in a position to rally.

Chicago, March 24 (By B.A. Bond Corp. Ltd)—Wheat futures sold at new lows to-day. Saturday's feeble rally only served to give the bears another chance and the market was under pressure throughout the session. Bearish factors predominate. While there are a few bullish arguments such as possibility of a crop scare and decreasing receipts at primary points, these seem to be ignored. Corn showed some resistance to the decline, but it is doubtful if corn will hold if wheat should go much lower and predictions are plentiful that wheat is destined for the dollar mark. Last sales were near the day's lows all around.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	105	105⅛	102⅞	102⅞
July	104¼	104½	104⅛	104⅜
Sept	107⅛	107⅛	105⅝	105⅝
Corn—				
May	79⅛	79⅛	77⅛	77⅛
July	80⅝	80⅜	78⅜	78⅜
Sept.	80⅝	80⅞	79⅛	73⅛
Oats—				
May	48	48	46⅞	47
July	46	46	45	45
Sept.	42⅛	42⅛	41⅞	41⅝
Rye—				
May	67⅛	67⅝	65⅝	65⅝

CEMENT CO. SHARES

San Francisco, March 24.—The capitalization of the Pacific Portland Cement Company has been raised from $6,000,000 to $10,000,000 and 40,000 additional shares of stock will be offered stockholders to-day at $50 per share, Robert M. Henderson, president of the board of directors of the corporation, announced here.

SUGAR

New York, March 24.—Raw sugar, centrifugal, 6.91; refined granulated, 8.40 to 8.69.

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York Stock Exchange, March 24, 1924

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

	High	Low	Last
Allis Chalmers	43-4	43-4	43-4
Allied Chem.	67	66-7	67
Am. Beet Sugar	43-6	43-4	43
Am. Bosch Mag.	29	29	29
Am. Can	116-2	113-3	113-3
Am. Car & Fdy.	160	160	160
Am. Intl. Corp.	19-3	18-5	18
Am. Linseed	15-2	15-2	15-3
Am. Locomotive	72-7	72-4	72-4
Am. Ship & Com.	13	13	13
Am. Smelters	60-5	60-1	60-4
Am. Steel Fdy.	37	37	37
Am. Sugar	51-1	51	51-2
Am. Sum. Tob.	13-3	13-3	13-3
Am. Tel. & Tel.	129	128-4	129
Am. Woolens	72	69-4	70
Anaconda	32-3	32-1	32-2
Atlantic Gulf	15	14-4	15
Atchison	99-1	99-1	99-1
Baldwin Loco.	121-6	120-3	120-3
Baltimore & Ohio	55-3	55	55-3
Bethlehem Steel	53	52-1	52-6
Brooklyn Manhattan	17-3	17	17-2
California Packing	84-4	84-4	84-4
California Pete.	25-2	24-5	25
Can. Pacific	144-3	144	144
Cast Iron Pipe	[illegible]	[illegible]	76-4
Cerro de Pasco	44-6	44-4	44-4
Central Leather	14	14	14
Chandler	50-1	49-2	50-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	76	75-1	75-1
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	14-6	14-6	14-6
Do. pref.	26	25-6	25-7
Chic. & Northwest	49-4	49-3	49-4
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	22-6	22-6	22-6
Chile Copper	26-7	26-7	26-7
Chino Copper	15-5	15-5	15-5
Coca Cola	65-6	65-2	65-2
Columbia Gas	33-6	33-6	33-6
Cons. Gas	62-5	61-7	62-4
Cont. Can	49-3	48-3	48-3
Corn Products	180-2	175	175
Cosden Oil	36-1	35-5	35-5
Cuba C. Sugar	15-1	15-1	15-1
Do. pref.	67-4	66-3	66-5
Crucible Steel	58	56-3	56-3
Davison Chem.	53-7	53	53-1
Del., Lack. & West.	123-2	121	121-2
Dupont Powder	129-2	128	128
Endicott Johnson	60-4	60-4	60-4
Erie	25-2	25	25-2
Do. 1st pref.	33	33	33
Famous Players	67	65-6	66-7
General Asphalt	40-5	39-2	40
Gen. Electric	228-6	225-4	228
Gen. Motors	14-5	14-4	14-4
Goodrich Rubber	19-2	19-2	19-2
Great North. Ore	30-2	29-7	30
Great North. pref.	54-4	54-4	54-4
Gulf States Steel	77-4	75-6	76-4
Houston Oil	72	70	70-3
Illinois Central	105-4	103-6	103-6
Inspiration	24	23-7	24
Int. Harvester	83	81	83
Int. Mer. Mar. pref.	29-1	28-4	28-4
Int. Nickel	13-1	13-1	13-1
Int. Paper	38-4	37	38-4
Invincible Oil	15-3	14-6	15-2
Julius Kayser	65-6	65-2	65-4
Kan. City South.	18-4	18-4	18-4
Kennecott Copper	35-5	35	35-2
Kelly Springfield	17	16-4	16-7
Keystone Tire	2-1	2-1	2-1
Kresge	360	357-4	360
Lehigh Valley	70-1	69	69-4
Louis. & Nash.	92-6	92-4	92-4
Mack Truck	83-1	83-2	83-4
Maryland Oil	38	37-4	38
Maxwell A.	46-3	45-2	46-3
Maxwell B.	13-4	12-4	13-1
Mex. Seaboard	18-7	16-4	18-4
Miami	21	21	21
Middle States Oil	3-1	3-7	4
Midvale Steel	29	29	29
M., St. P. & S.S.M.	35	35	35
Miss. Pacific	12-2	12-1	12-1
Do. pref.	38-4	38-1	38-4
Moon Motor	24	24	21
National Enamel	32-1	32-1	32-1
Nevada Cons.	12-6	12-6	12-6
Norfolk & West.	126-4	125-6	126-7
North American	23-3	23-2	23-3
Northern Pacific	49-4	49-3	49-4
N.Y. Central	101-3	100-4	101-1
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	18-3	18	18-1
N.Y., Ont. & West.	16-5	16-5	16-5
Packard Motor	10-6	10-6	10-6
Pacific Oil	52-7	52-1	52-5
Pan American	48-1	47-5	47-5
Do. B.	46-7	46-2	46-2
Pennsylvania R.R.	44-6	44-4	44-4
People's Gas	95-4	95-4	95-4
Pere Marquette	41-4	41-4	41-4
Phillips Pete.	41-2	40-5	40-7
Pierce Arrow	8-6	8-6	8-6
Producers & Ref.	35	35-4	35-4
Pullman Co.	117-2	117	117-2
Punta Allegre	65-1	64-5	65-4
Pure Oil	23-6	23-5	23-5
Rail. Steel Spring	112	112	112
Ray Cons.	9-4	9-4	9-4
Reading	55-1	54-6	54-7
Replogle Steel	9-4	9-4	9-4
Rep. Iron & Steel	49-6	49	49
Royal Dutch	[illegible]	50-1	50-2
Shell Union	18-6	18-1	18-4
Sinclair Cons.	22-7	22-4	22-5
Sloss Sheffield	59-4	59-4	59-4
Southern Pac.	86-5	86	86-2
Southern Railway	55-3	55	55
Standard Oil Cal.	63-2	62-1	62-5
Standard Oil N.J.	37-6	37-1	37-6
Standard Oil Ind.	61-6	61-4	61-4
Stewart Warner	81-2	79-3	80-4
Stromburg Carb.	68-4	68-4	68-4
Studebaker	93-6	92-1	92-4
Tennessee Copper	7-3	7-3	7-3
Texas Co.	42-3	42	42
Texas Gulf Sulphur	60	59-7	60
Texas Pacific R.R.	28	27-4	27-4
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	10-5	10-3	10-3
Timken Roller	36-1	36-1	36-1
Tobacco Prod.	58	56-4	56-6
Transcont. Oil	4-1	4	4-1
Union Pacific	129-5	129	129-4
United Fruit	195	195	195
U.S. Ind. Alco.	70-4	69-6	69-6
U.S. Rubber	30-3	29-3	29-6
U.S. Steel	100-4	99-4	99-4
Do. pref.	119-3	119-2	119-2
U.S. Smelting	29-1	29-4	29-4
Utah Copper	66	65-6	66
Vanadium	27	25-5	26
Wabash	47-1	46-5	46-6
Western Union	109	109	109
Westing. Elec.	60-7	60-6	60-6
White Motor	55	55	55
Willys Overland	11	10-5	10-7
Do. pref.	80-3	79-7	80-5
Woolworth	344-6	343	344

RAW SUGAR MARKET

(By British American Bond Corp., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
March	5.30	5.00	5.03
May	5.16	5.02	5.02
July	5.21	5.08	5.08
Sept.	5.16	5.04	5.04
Dec.	4.66	4.60	4.60
Spot	...	...	5

SILVER

New York, March 24.—Bar silver, 63⅝; Mexican dollars, 48⅝.

London, March 24.—Bar silver, 33⅝d. per ounce. Money, 2¼ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 3 per cent.; three months' bills, 3 to 3 1-16 per cent.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, March 24.—The wheat market continued dull to-day following lower Liverpool cables, with most of the news of a bearish nature. After opening lower, the market was extremely quiet with only a small demand and prices eased off, the May future dropping below 99 for a new low market record. The trade volume was generally light, but selling pressure increased as the day progressed. At the close May recorded a loss of 1⅛. July was off 1⅜ and October 1⅜.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	100	100	98⅝	98⅝
July	101⅞	101⅛	100⅝	100⅝
Oct.	33⅝	99¾	98⅝	98⅝
Oats—				
May	39⅝	39⅝	38	38
July	40⅝	40⅝	39½	39½
Barley—				
May	61⅝	61⅝	60⅝	60⅝
July	59⅝	59⅝	58⅝	58⅝
Flax—				
May	210⅝	211⅝	207	208¼
July	211	211⅝	209	209½
Rye—				
May	65¼	65¼	64⅝	64⅝
July	....	....	....	66⅝

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 Nor., 96⅝; 2 Nor., 93⅝; 3 Nor., 91⅝; No. 4, 85⅝; No. 5, 79⅛; No. 6, 73⅝; feed, 69⅝; track, 97⅝.

Oats—2 C.W., 68⅛; 3 C.W. and extra 1 feed, 33⅝; 1 feed, 32⅝; 2 feed, 30⅝; rejected, 28; track, 37.

Barley—3 C.W., 61; 4 C.W., 54½; rejected, 51⅝; feed, 50⅝; track, 61.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 206⅝; 2 C.W., 202¼; 3 C.W., 182⅝; rejected, 183⅝; track, 207.

Rye—2 C.W., 63⅛.

EXCHANGE SUMMARY

Canadian sterling — Buying $4.40; selling $4.43.

Japanese yen 42.9 cents.

Chinese tael 73.35 cents.

New York, March 24.—Foreign exchanges firm.

Great Britain — Demand 429¼; cables 429½; 60-day bills on banks 427.

France — Demand 5.37½; cables 5.38½.

Italy — Demand 4.31½; cables 4.32½.

Belgium—Demand 4.29; cables 4.30.

Germany — Demand (per trillion) .22.

Holland—Demand 36.79.

Norway, 13.67.

Sewedn, 26.47.

Denmark, 15.73.

Switzerland, 17.26.

Spain, 13.01.

Greece, 1.72.

Poland, .000012.

Czecho-Slovakia, 2.90½.

Jugo-Slavia, 1.23.

Austria, .0014⅛.

Rumania—Demand .52½.

Argentina—Demand 33.76.

Brazil, 11.25.

Tokio, 42.

Montreal, 97 5-16.

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VICTORY BONDS

VICTORIA PRICES

(By R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Victory Loan 5½%—Tax Free Interest Due—	Bid	Asked
1927 1st June and December	102.50	103.50
1933 1st May and November	104.65	105.65
1937 1st June and December	106.80	107.80
War Loan 5%—Tax Free		
1925 1st June and December	100.50	101.50
1931 1st April and October	100.75	101.75
1937 1st March and Sept.	102.30	103.30
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan 5½%		
1924 1st May and November	100.20	101.20
1927 1st May and November	101.35	102.35
1932 1st May and November	102.00	103.00
1934 1st May and November	102.50	103.50
Dominion Loan 5%		
1928 15th April and October	99.90	100.90
1943 15th April and October	99.55	100.55

Add accrued interes tto date: 1927, 1937, 114 days, $17.178 per $1,000; 1924, 1927, 1932, 1933, 1934, 144 days, $21.099 per $1,000; 1928, 1943, 161 days, $22.055 per $1,000.

Montreal Stocks

(By R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Last
Abitibi	63
Asbestos	30
Bell Telephone	123-4
Brompton Paper	39
Brazilian Traction	51-2
Canada Car Foundry common	47
Can. S.S. common	11-4
Can. Cottons	100
Dominion Glass	108
Montreal Power	184
Cons. M. & S.	37-7
Detroit United	55
Dom. Bridge	74-2
Dominion Canners	30-4
Dom. Textile	61
Lake of Woods Milling	173
Laurentide Co.	89
National Breweries	50
Atlantic Sugar	16
Howard Smith	61-4
Ogilvie Milling Co.	310
Bank of Nova Scotia	256-1
Bank of Montreal	239-4
Hochelaga	148
Shawinigan	131-2
Spanish River Pulp	109
Steel of Can.	80-4
Wayagamac Pulp	40

TORONTO MINES

(By R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Lake Shore	38.	385
Teck Hughes	123	126
Beaver Consol	29½	30
McIntyre Port	1655	1660
Hollinger Cons.	1210	1215
Newray Mines	36	37
Wasapika Cons.	2⅝	..
Dome Mines	1840	1870
Prest. E. Dome	12½	..
Vipond Cons.	119	120
Thompson Krist	5⅝	6
Atlas	4	..
McKinley Dar S	14	15
West Dome Lake	25½	26
Mining Corp. Can.	342	..
Moneta	20	21
Goldale	23½	24
Argonaut Gold	53	55
Castle Treth	76½	..
Indian	18	..

VICTORIA STOCKS

DUNWELL CLIMBS TO HIGHER LEVEL

Dunwell shares have been rising again lately, and sales at $4.50 have been reported on the curb market. The stock is offering at new high figures to-day, and sells readily. Other mining stocks remain steady, with Glacier Creek shares taking a slight preference over others.

Prices on the local exchange today were steady, and no radical changes were noted.

The prices on the exchange here to-day were as follows:

	Bid	Asked
Mining—		
B'ndary Red Mountain	$ ...	$ .20
Howe'a Copper	...	.10
Coalmont Collieries	...	30.00
Consolidated M. and S.	34.00	...
Cork Province	.05	...
Douglas Channel	...	.02
Dunwell Mines	4.00	4.50
Granby Consolidated	14.00	...
Hazelton Gold-Cobalt	...	.02
Hemlock Gold Placer	...	.65
Howe Sound	2.75	3.50
Indian Mines	.20	.25
International Coal	...	.15½
Liberator Mining Co.	...	.05
McGillivray Coal	.65	.75
Premier Mines	..	2.75
Sheep Creek Cons.	...	.00½
Silver Crest Mines	...	.03
Silversmith	...	.37
Snug Cove Copper	...	.02
Standard Silver Lead	...	.20
Sunloch Mines	...	.23
Surf Inlet Gold	...	.17
Independence	...	.24
Rufus	...	.17
Glacier Creek	.28	.30
Am. Mining & Mill.	...	1.00
Terminus	...	.24
Oils—		
Athabasca Oil	...	.10
Boundary Bay Oil	.00 1-16	.00⅛
Empire Oil	...	.00⅞
Spartan Oil	...	.00⅞
Sweetgrass	.00 11-16	.00⅝
Trojan Oil	...	.03⅝
B.C. Montana	...	.00⅝
British Pete.	...	.41
Miscellaneous—		
Allen Theatre preferred	24.00	...
B.C. Perm. Loan	94.00	100.00
Canada National Fire	...	48.00
Canadian Pacific Ry.	145.00	151.00
Great West Perm. Loan	...	23.50
Gregory Tire & Rubber	...	2.90

NEW YORK COTTON

(By British American Bond Corp., Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	28.30	28.25	27.05	27.05
May	28.50	28.52	28.23	28.23
July	27.80	27.80	26.70	26.70
Oct.	25.47	25.17	24.63	24.63
Dec.	25.14	25.02	24.40	24.40
Spot	....	....	....	27.38

Tokio, March 24. — The body of Prince Hiratada Kwacho, head of one of the collateral branches of the Japanese Imperial Family, was brought here to-day from Sasebo, where he died last week.

RADIO PROGRAMMES

MONDAY, MARCH 24

CHCE—Western Canada Radio Supply Company Victoria

From 7 to 8 p.m.—Concert programme.

TUESDAY, MARCH 25

CFCL—Centennial Methodist Church

At 8.30 p.m.—Dr. C. de Castri on "Voice Production," with soloists, Misses Jennie Stubbs, Ruth Melville and James Matheson.

STAR BUNGALOW COMPANY EXTENDS

Eight Houses Under Course of Erection

Building up Big Textile Business

In line with the rapid development since starting business in Victoria of the Star Bungalow Construction Company, allied with which is the Star Textile Company, extra hands have been put on to cope with the business secured for both organizations. Twenty sales ladies will be put on the road traveling throughout the Province to secure business for the textile branch. Many good orders have been received for the aprons, house dresses, rompers and general wearing apparel made by the company, and there are indications that a business will be built up that will rank high among Victoria's industries.

Building prospects continue good for the Star Bungalow Company. The crew of workmen has been increased to seventy-five, B. Cooper reports, and it is anticipated that contracts will be signed this week for one frame and one stucco bungalow. Ten permits have been taken out in nine weeks and the company has an objective of at least one permit a week.

At present, in addition to repair jobs, work is proceeding on two bungalows on Quadra Street, two on Blackwood Street, one at Sluggetts and one at Derby Road, Cedar Hill. Foundation work has also started on the $12,000 house on Gillespie Place. Glaziers have started work on the two tomato greenhouses, 100 feet by 20 feet, which have been built at Hillside.

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Men's Pants, assorted dark patterns; suitable for evening or working wear; in all sizes, from 32 to 44. Regular price $3.00.. **$1.98**

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Ladies' Fine Ribbed White Cotton Vests, short sleeves. Regular price 60c.... **44c**

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DIED

CARROLL—On March 21, at the family residence, near E. and N. Station, James Patrick Carroll, aged 59 years; born in Adams, Mass., and a resident of this city since he was four years of age. The late Mr. Carroll is survived by, besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Carroll, four brothers, Messrs. W. H. and C. A. Carroll of this city, C. J. of San Francisco, and F. of Sacramento, Cal.; also three sisters, Mrs. W. E. Harris and Miss Ann Carroll of Oakland, Cal., and Mrs. W. H. Murphy, at present in this city. The remains are resting at the Sands Funeral Chapel and on Monday, March 24, the cortege will proceed at 8.50 o'clock to St. Andrew's Cathedral where Mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Father J. F. Silver. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery. 3

STEPHEN—On March 22, 1924, at 3 Alma Place, David Stephen, aged 82 years; born in Scotland. He is survived by his widow and three daughters, Mrs. (Dr.) R. G. Jackson of Oakland, Cal., Mrs. Jessie M. Spring and Miss Mae E. Stephen of Portland, two sons, E. R. Stephen in Vancouver and W. A. Stephen of Los Angeles; also two step-daughters, Mrs. L. L. Brown of London, England, and Miss V. Jaggers in Victoria.

Service will be conducted at his late residence as above on Tuesday afternoon at 3.30. Interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

C.-Q.-M.-S. C. W. Norton, "B" Co. P.P.C.L.I., Work Point Barracks, Esquimalt, B.C., and Mrs. M. Buck of Vancouver, B.C., desire to express their heartfelt thanks to the District Officer Commanding, M.D. No. 11, the Officer Commanding, Officers, Warrant Officers, N.C.O.'s and Men of "B" Co. P.P.C.L.I., Officers, Warrant Officers, N.C.O.'s and men of the Esquimalt Garrison, and also to the other many kind friends, for their comforting words of sympathy and many beautiful floral designs which were received during their recent sad bereavement in the loss of a loving wife and sister.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. (Captain) John F. Anderson and family wish to thank those friends who in any way, either by floral tributes or sympathy expressed and kindness shown, helped to brighten the dark hour in the taking of a loving husband and father.

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COURT Maple Leaf A.O.F.—Social dance, Foresters' Hall, Monday, April 14. Larman's orchestra. Refreshments. $1.5. Admission 25c. 1600-2-71

COMIQUE CLUB dance, Caledonia Hall, Tuesday, March 25. Admission 25c. Farey's orchestra. 1606-3-72

DANCE—Auspices of Junior Moose, at Harmony Hall, Wednesday, March 26. 25c and 25c; 8.30-11.30; 2-piece orchestra. 1610-3-72

GRAND (Scotch entertainment will be held in the Auditorium of the Victoria High School on April 4, at 8 p.m. The programme is in the hands of Messrs. J. G. Brown and D. W. Oglivy, and will consist of the best of everything in Scotch. Proceeds in aid of funds of the Victoria Juvenile Pipe Band for purpose of outfitting the boys with the Highland dress. Tickets now on sale and may be had from any of the members of the Scottish Clubs or Societies, or D. W. Ogilvy, Knights of Pythias Hall. 6-4-72

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MILITARY 500 and dance, Tuesday, March 25, Sons of Canada Hall, corner Pandora and Douglas. Fourteen good prizes. Admission 25c. 1602-2-72

MILITARY Five Hundred and dance, Caledonia Hall, Wednesday next. Prizes: First table, $12; $3, $2 and $5; two play tables. Musical programme 8 o'clock, cards and dancing after; 50c. Reserve table, 6961. 1241-2-72

MILITARY 500 to-night, 8.30, 1230 Government Street. Fourteen scrip prizes. 25c. 1607-1-71

MEMBERS of the Scottish Daughters' League meet at the corner of Herald and Douglas on Wednesday evening, March 26, at 8.30 o'clock. 1329-2-72

RUMMAGE SALE—For S.P.C.A., at 717 Fort Street, Saturday, March 29. Articles may be sent to Mrs. Bass, 602 Trutch Street; Mrs. Crane, 881 Broughton Street, or Miss Darley, confectionery store, Yates Street. Articles will be called for if notification given to Mrs. Bass or Mrs. Crane. 1294-3-71

RUMMAGE SALE—St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, Tuesday, March 25, at 2.30. 1570-2-71

THE Lady Douglas Chapter I.O.D.E. will hold a bridge, mah jong and five hundred party at the lovely home of Mrs. A. S. Proctor, Foul Bay Road, on Friday, April 4, at 3 o'clock. Tables may be reserved by telephoning the secretary, Mrs. H. W. Smith, 4874L. 1343-6-76

VICTORIA Review No. 1—Whist drive, Tuesday, March 25, 8.15 sharp, 902 Government Street. Scrip prizes. Tombola. Swift ham. 1314-2-71

W. A. to Canadian Legion will hold general meeting on Tuesday, March 25, at 8 p.m.; executive, 7.15. 1346-2-72

26 PRIZES on Wednesday, March 26, military 500, Sons of Canada Hall. 25c. 1605-3-73

HELP WANTED—MALE

ENGINEERS schooled for certificates. W. G. Winterburn, 221 Central Bldg. tf-10

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SPROTT-SHAW SCHOOL is installing a most up-to-date radio equipment. Class will be held Monday and Thursday evenings; wireless telegraphy, coaching for Government examinations in spark and C.W., also radio telephony. Class starts January 28, 1924. Phone 28, or call for particulars. Sprott-Shaw Institute, corner Douglas and Broughton Streets. 18

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WANTED—A woman for housework, four hours daily, $15 a month. 150 Government. Phone 6561R. 1321-3-73

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

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STOP INCREASE IN ELECTRIC SIGNS

Paris, March 24.—A law handed down from the time of Napoleon is being invoked to save Paris from broadway advertising methods. The large electric signs that have been steadily increasing in number around the Place de l'Opera have hurt the eyes of the French people accustomed to softer light and offended their artistic taste.

Pressure was brought on the police department to prevent further desecration of the artistic opera quarter and the Prefect dug up an ancient statute that gives him jurisdiction over the exterior design of buildings in the vicinity of any particularly interesting piece of sculpture or spot which, under French law, may be classified as an historical monument."

BOSTONIAN HOME AFTER VISIT TO PHARAOH'S TOMB

St. John, N.B., March 24.—Back after having visited the tomb of Tutankhamen and seen the sarcophagus containing the mummy Joseph Toyo of The Boston Herald landed here yesterday from the Canadian Pacific steamship Montclare from Liverpool.

He explained that Cardinal O'Connell on his pilgrimage to the Holy Land and left him in Rome, where the Cardinal was to visit the Pope.

He explained that Cardinal O'Connell was the first United States cardinal to visit the Holy Land and he had been greatly impressed.

With reference to conditions in Egypt, Mr. Toyo said the Moslem feeling was extremely acute, but the British officials were doing wonderful work and it was due to their efforts that tourists were able to get into Egypt and the Holy Land.

Mr. Toyo left for his home in Boston.

Vancouver Island News

FORWARD PLAN FOR FALL FAIR

Metchosin District to Have Good Show; Farmers' Institute in Charge

Special to The Times

Colwood, March 24.—A successful meeting was held Friday in the Colwood Hall under the auspices of the Metchosin District Farmers' Institute when the motion picture on agrarian subjects were shown in charge of Arthur Morton, Dominion sheep expert of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, and G. Pilmer, Assistant Livestock Commissioner.

After the illustrated addresses an interesting discussion took place regarding the Fall Fair.

E. G. Pierce, first vice-president of the association, acting chairman, explained the object of the discussion, which was to get the decision of the members and residents regarding the formation of an agricultural association to handle the Fall Fair, outside the Farmers' Institute, the suggestion having been made at a recent meeting of the association by one of the members. The question was then thrown open for discussion, which resulted in the members confirming the resolution passed at the Metchosin meeting, "that a Fall Fair be held, and that arrangements be left in the hands of the directors of the Farmers' Institute." The directors now that they have learned the wishes of the majority of their members and are confident of their full support, will go ahead with the preliminary arrangements for the fair, which they are determined shall surpass any previous fair held in the districts concerned. Refreshments were served by the Colwood Women's Institute and the meeting adjourned.

RURAL NURSING SERVICE

During the past week dental examinations have been held in the four schools in the districts at present comprising the Health Centre, namely, Colwood, Luxton and Happy Valley, Albert Head, and Goldstream, by Dr. S. Youlden, Victoria dentist, assted by the public health nurse in charge of the service.

The work of examination was carried on without any loss of time, one child following another in quick succession, and during the clinic which wil be held all being well, during the Easter holidays, the same time-saving methods will be adopted.

Unfortunately the nurse in charge of the service will be away for two or three days during the Easter week, attending a conference of public health nurses to be held in Vancouver at the special request of Dr. H. E. Young, Provincial Health Officer, but Dr. Young has secured the services of Miss M. Griffith, graduate nurse, to act in Miss Kelly's absence at the clinic. Calls for the nurse for emergency nursing visits will be answered by Mrs. S. Hutchinson, Luxton, who is also a graduate nurse.

SUCCESSFUL WHIST DRIVE IS HELD

Special to The Times

Duncan, March 22.—The whist drive given by the committee of the Somenos Girl Guides provided a delightful evening on Thursday. About eight tables were made up under the direction of Mrs. Darcus and C. Purvey. Mrs. Corney and Mrs. Westcott tied for the ladies' first prize, the latter eventually winning on the cut. Mr. Wescott was the prize winner for the gentlemen, Mrs. Jennings and Jack Henslowe being awarded the consolation prizes.

Baskets of delicious looking sweets made by Mrs. Darcus and some other members of the committee, had a ready sale. Capt. Marrs gave pianoforte selections, and songs by Miss Payne were much enjoyed. Miss Payne is a newcomer and is staying with her sister, Mrs. Victor Jackson at Somenos. Mrs. Henslowe kindly acted as accompanist. Mrs. Holt Wilson, the president of the committee, presented the prizes, and she and Mrs. H. W. McKenzie, the secretary, had general supervision.

In the match between a B team from Colwood and eight lady members of the Cowichan Golf Club played on the Duncan links on Friday, the home team won by a score of 25½ to 10½.

Those taking part and the full scores were:

Mrs. Pocock (Colwood) 1½, Mrs. Share (Duncan) 1½, Miss Richards (Colwood) 0, Mrs. Robinson (Duncan) 3, Miss Burt-Smith (Colwood 0, Miss Gibbs (Duncan) 3, Mrs. Richards (Colwood), 0, Miss Robertson (Duncan) 3, Miss Lovell (Colwood) 0, Miss Radford (Duncan) 3, Mrs. Burnes (Colwood) 1, Mrs. Boyd Wallis (Duncan) 2, Mrs. Leeming (Colwood) 0, Mrs. Morten (Duncan) 3, Mrs. Allen (Colwood) 2, Mrs. Duncan (Duncan) 1. Total, Cowichan 19½, Colwood 4½.

Mrs. Pocock and Miss Richards (Colwood) 0, Mrs. Share and Mrs. Robinson (Duncan) 3, Miss Burt-Smith and Mrs. Richards (Colwood) 3, Miss Gibbs and Miss Robertson (Duncan) 0, Miss Lovell and Mrs. Burnes (Colwood 0, Mrs. Radford and Mrs. Wallis (Duncan) 3, Mrs. Leeming and Miss Allen (Colwood) 3, Mrs. Morten and Mrs. Duncan (Duncan) 0. Total, Cowichan 6, Colwood 6.

LANGFORD NEWS

Special to The Times

Langford, March 24.—The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the residence of Mrs. Newberry to-morrow. The speaker will be Mrs. J. D. Gordon.

Miss Eileen Watt has returned to Langford after an extended stay in Victoria.

Miss Barbara MacTavish is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Scaife prior to moving down to Rosebank, where she will keep house for her brother, who resides there.

A whist drive was held at the home of Mrs. James Brown on Wednesday, and proved a very enjoyable evening for all present. The first prize was awarded to Mrs. Cowie and Mr. Howard, while the consolation prize went to Mrs. Nicol and Mr. Lemon. Delightful refreshments were served.

MINING NEWS

UNITED EMPIRE MINE

Recent development work on the United Empire mine at Paulson has been of a most satisfactory character, assays proving the mineral content of the mine even better than had been expected. E. S. Campbell, engineer in charge of the work, for the United Metals Company, who was in town Thursday, while returning to the mine from Spokane, stated he expected to have the concentrating plant in operation next month, and that it was the intention to ship the concentrates to the Trail smelter.

Mining prospects throughout the boundary district are decidedly encouraging. Negotiations looking to an option on the well-known mine in Franklin camp are now under way, and, if consummated, the plan will be to build a concentrating plant at the property. The Union has shipped several thousand tons of ore in the past, but owing to the heavy transportation charges, being twenty-five miles from railway, there were not sufficient values to warrant the heavy expense. It is felt that a mill will solve the difficulty.

Officials of the Maple Leaf mine were also in conference here recently, and hope to be able to resume active development work on this property, also in Franklin camp, in the early Summer.

The Pathfinder-Little Bertha, on the north fork, is another property at which preparations are being made to start work.

ORE SHIPMENTS

During the second week of March 9,700 tons of ore and concentrates were treated at the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company's smelter at Trail, thus bringing the year's output to that date to 96,403 tons. At the date of March 14, 1923, the total output was 92,509 tons.

The week's shipments were: Bosun, 43 tons; Hewitt, 30; Knob Hill, 56; Lone Pine-Surprise-Last Chance, 123; Paradise, 45; Quilp, 284; Rosebery-Surprise, 55; Silversmith, lead 50, zinc 100; company mines, 8,871. Total, 9,700 tons.

Last year the Anyox smelter produced 32,159,470 pounds of copper and 451,479 ounces of silver from Hidden Creek ores. The total number of tons of Hidden Creek ore smelted was 831,416, and 10,771 tons of custom ore was smelted making a total of 842,187 tons of ore smelted at Anyox. The total amount of coal charged at the coke plant during the year was 81,662 tons.

BRITISH LABOR EMPIRE PROGRESSIVE FORCE, SAYS THOMAS

London, March 24 (Canadian Press Cable)—In a speech at Newport, J. H. Thomas, Colonial Secretary, said men faced with the responsibilities of office and the responsibilities of knowledge of what this great Empire meant could never again be as indifferent to propandists as they were in the past. They must remain for all time responsible politicians, keeping in mind only the great interest of the country.

It was no use shouting in the House of Commons that the Labor leaders were inconsistent, Mr. Thomas said. Only cowards failed to face facts. "Our inconsistency," he added, "is borne of experience and our determination to do the right thing."

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By JOHN HUTCHISON, F.R.H.S.

Even in the smallest rock garden the Primula family should be represented by several at least of its many superb varieties. As there are two divisions of the Primulas, those which like a moist spot and those which prefer to grow among the rocks, there will be a spot suitable for them in every garden.

A rock garden can usually be so arranged that there is a place at the foot of the rockwork—shady if possible—which is moist, or at least can be kept well watered. This is the place for some of the Primulas, which will grow without undue trouble. First of all there is Primula Denticulata, a rather tall species from the Himalayas, with large gobular heads of lilac-blue flowers. This blooms in March and April, and is one of the very best. There is also a white form. Primula pulverulenta and the many hybrids derived from it, are plants that grow well under the same conditions. It has stout spikes, bearing many large whorls of flowers in May and June. The color of the type is crimson, but the hybrids have blooms in shades running from yellow to red. Primula frondosa is a beautiful little plant with tufts of mealy foliage and small rose-colored flowers, produced in lavish confusion.

There are many varieties of the common primrose that are quite worthy of a place in the rock garden. These includes shades of pink, old rose, blue and a number of double varieties. Among the rocks the Auricula section of Primulas should be grown. These may be had in a number of colors and shades from pale yellow to deep purple. They are quite easy to grow and a very beautiful. There are many hundreds of Primulas and they are excellent subjects of which to make a hobby.

ROCK ROSES

The Helianthums, sun roses or rock roses are easy things to grow in a sunny spot where they can hang over the face of a rock. These may be had in shades of pink, yellow, red and white, and there are also double varieties in several colors. They bloom all Summer, and although the individual bloom lasts only a day or so, there are always new ones to take the place of those that have withered.

The Hypericums are a large family and very easy to grow. The big Hypericum Calcyenum, known as St. John's wort, is quite common in Victoria gardens, but there are other kinds, of dwarf habit, which are not so well known, but which are very suitable for the rock garden in a sunny position. They all have bright yellow flowers and bloom all the Summer months. Among the best are Hypericum Coris, Hypericum Olympicum and Hypericum Fragile.

ALPINE ASTERS

The Alpine asters, which bloom early in the year, are splendid plants. There are a number of varieties, but Aster Alpina, and its white form, Aster Subcaeduleus, are among the best. The color is a lavender blue with a yellow centre. They will grow almost anywhere except in dense shade.

The Armerias, or Thrifts, are everybody's rock plant. They come in several shades of pink and white. They like sun and are seldom out of flower.

There are several Aquilegias or Columbines, which are fine rock garden plants. Aquilegia Alpina requires a sheltered but not a shady spot, in deep loam and leaf mould with quick drainage. It bears big soft clear blue flowers on dainty stems about eighteen inches high. It is of easy culture and is one of the most beautiful plants for the rock garden. Aquilegia Coerulea grows well under the same conditions. It has long, spurred, pale blue flowers with white centres, and grows from nine inches to a foot in height. It is in flower from May until September. Its one drawback is that it is little better than a biennial, and should therefore be raised each year from seed, which it makes freely and which should be sown as soon as it is ripe. It is impossible to bestow too much praise upon this glorious little plant, which is the loveliest of a lovely genus.

DRY PLACES

Sometimes there is a hot dry place that it is found hard to deal with. If you have such a spot plant Cerastium tomentosum; but be very careful not to plant it where it will encroach upon choice plants, because it runs about, over and under ground, and will take possession of your garden. It has silver leaves and is a mass of white flowers for a long time in the Summer months. It will stand all kinds of ill treatment.

There are several dwarf brooms which look well among rocks. Two of the best are Cytisus Ardoini, which forms a low trailing mass four to six inches high, covered in flowers, and Genista Sagittalis, which is a creeping shrub about six inches high, very distinct, with peculiar winged stems and a profusion of rich yellow flowers. Both these are easily grown in any rock garden.

There are two dwraf Delphiniums or larkspurs that should find a home in the rock garden. Delphinum Grandiflora, about eighteen inches high with very brilliant blue flowers, is very atractive and should be grown in masses. Delphinum Nudicaule likes a dry, sunny place. It has beautiful orange-scarlet flowers on eighteen-inch stems. It looks its best in the mass also.

ON DRY WALLS

Erinus alpinus is a pretty little plant, admirable for growing on dry walls and in any odd chink, or for crevices between steps. It forms dwarf tufts or downy, toothed leaves and has rosy-purple flowers in racemes the whole Summer. There are also a pink and a white form.

There are two Cheiranthus, or wall flowers, which are easy to grow and make a wonderful show for a long time: Cheiranthus Allionii is a plant of excellent habit. The flowers open in April and continue to bloom until the end of June, when, if they are cut back, they will bloom during August, September and October. The color is a brilliant orange. Cheiranthus Linifolium is lilac in color and grows in the same way as Allionii.

Two dwarf Gypsophilas should be included in the smallest collection—Gypsophila Repens, which is of a creeping habit with white or pinkish flowers, and Gypsophila Cerastoides, which only grows three inches high with white flowers streaked with violet. It flowers nearly all the Summer and is in every way a first-class rock plant.

A LITTLE GEM

Linaria Alpina is the smallest of the toad flax family. It has tiny flowers of a blue-violet color with an orange throat. It will grow in any soil or position and is a little gem. Strictly speaking, it is only a biennial, but it sows itself freely.

There are two dwarf lychnis that are very attractive. Lychnis Alpina, only about five inches high, with rose-colored flowers, and Lychnis Lagascae, also dwarf with pink flowers and a white centre. Both like a sunny position in sandy loam.

Nepeta Mussini is a very old garden plant. It forms a dense prostrate tuft about ten inches high, with grass leaves, which are quite fragrant, and has a profusion of lavender-blue flowers during the Summer. It is a rapid grower in any light soil and full sun. It is a most valuable plant, both on account of its foliage and its flowers, and should be freely used.

(Next Monday Mr. Hutchison will discuss bulbous plants suitable for the garden.)

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Hon. Ernest Lapointe Pays Tribute to C.P.R.

Quebec, March 24—Pride in the record of the Canadian Pacific Railway because "the good repute of the C.P.R. is one of the best assets of Canada," was the tribute paid by Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, on the occasion of a dinner given here Saturday night at the fifth annual convention of officers of the railway, presided over by D. C. Coleman, vice-president of Western Lines. Six hundred and fifty officials were present.

"We are all proud of the great record of the Canadian Pacific Railway because that property is a national asset," said Mr. Lapointe. "Your flag, waving in many seas, tells the story of enterprise and ambition. The builders had faith in Canada and were among the makers of the country. They built a highway from Europe to Asia."

President E. W. Beatty dwelt on the development of the Canadian Pacific Railway, which, he said, "made confederation possible," and upon confederation depended the future of greatness of the Dominion. The principal factors, he declared, that contributed to the progress of the system were the development of the country itself, the sagacity of its administration and the fact that the railway was permitted the greatest administrative latitude, free from undue interference, political or otherwise.

Mr. Beatty spoke of the company's stake in the country and its trusteeship of hundreds of millions of dollars of British, Canadian and United States capital. It owned 15,000 miles of railway in the Dominion and controlled 5,102 miles in the United States, while its shipping amounted to nearly 500,000 tons. With regard to the Canadian National Railways, Mr. Beatty said that the C.P.R. had a real reason in wishing them success provided that this was accomplished without drawing from the C.P.R. the traffic which had taken so many years to build up. Success to the C.N.R. would come through development of the country and this would also be an influence upon the success of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

WORLD FACES COTTON CRISIS

China Only Salvation Says Charles G. Collins Leading Exporter

"A steadily increasing tendency in the price of cotton has recently been experienced, and it is being viewed by economists as the omen of a coming cotton crisis," stated Charles G. Collins, leading New Orleans exporter who returned from a tour of the Far East aboard the liner President Grant. While in the Orient he made a special study of the condition of the cotton market and future productive areas.

"In order to forestall disaster, the cotton production of the world must necessarily be augmented," he said. "There are no countries except China," added Mr. Collins, "that are qualified to assume the responsibility of remedying the chaotic situation of the world cotton industry.

"America, the largest cotton producing nation, has reached its maturity in cotton development." In both India and Egypt conditions are unfavorable, and prevent further advancement in the cotton industry," he asserted.

"China possesses a vast area of cotton land similar in many respects to that of America, while the industrious nature of Chinese farmers and the cheap labor are not obtainable in the United States. In spite of this fact, America produces over fifty per cent. of the entire world cotton supply while China's production remains under ten per cent.

Latest Shipping Positions by Wireless

ESTEVAN, 8 p.m.—H. F. ALEXANDER, San Francisco, 476 miles from Seattle.

HORACE LUCKENBACH, San Francisco for Portland, thirty miles south of Buoy's Reef.

PETER KERR, San Francisco for Portland, 125 miles south of Columbia River.

SANTA CRUZ, Portland for San Francisco, 354 miles from San Francisco.

F. A. WARNER, Coos Bay for San Francisco, bar bound at Coos Bay.

W. S. WILLER, San Pedro for Willbridge, ten miles from Willbridge.

WEST CALERA, bound for Portland, 422 miles north of San Francisco.

USURI MARU, San Francisco for Everett, twenty miles from Port Townsend.

WILJILO, San Francisco for Seattle, 292 miles from Cape Flattery.

ADMIRAL FISKE, San Francisco for Astoria, sixty-five miles from Astoria.

EL CIUTA, bound for Buckley Bay, 331 miles south of Buckley Bay.

GEORGINA ROLPH, Astoria for Francisco, sixty-one miles from Astoria.

EL ABETO, Buckley Bay for Los Angeles, 1,184 miles from Los Angeles.

WAIRUNA, Honolulu for Vancouver, 1,068 miles southwest of Vancouver.

JERSEY CITY, Muroran for Port Townsend, 770 miles from Cape Flattery.

BRITISH MONARCH, Vancouver for Yokohama, 973 miles from Victoria.

HALLGYN, 1,352 miles from Vancouver, outbound.

CANADIAN TRAVELER, Vancouver for Sydney, 750 miles from Cape Flattery.

CANADIAN PROSPECTOR, bound for Vancouver, 1,040 miles from Cape Flattery.

EDNA MARU, Tacoma for Yokohama, 500 miles from Estevan.

ST. BEDE, Japan for Victoria, 700 miles from Victoria.

CANADIAN VOLUNTEER, Astoria for San Pedro, seventy miles south of Astoria.

KING BLEDDYN, Vancouver for Panama, 435 miles from Vancouver.

BOLIVIA, Yokohama for Nanaimo, 600 miles from Estevan.

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Docking from the Orient at 7.30 o'clock this morning the Admiral Oriental liner President Grant put ashore 400 tons of freight, clearing for Seattle at noon. The Seattle cargo amounted to 4,500 tons, including 3,000 bales of silk and a large shipment of Manila rope.

Captain Jensen reported a fair and uneventful trip.

Four Philippine stowaways and an alleged American were located on board and were put to work. On arrival in Seattle they will be handed over to the immigration authorities.

A unique feature in the ship's cargo was a consignment of Chinese chow dogs. The live shipment, however, had diminished considerably by the time the vessel docked here. When the Grant left the Orient there were fourteen of these dogs on board but on the ship's arrival here there were but seven.

The sea voyage did not agree with the canines and seven died en route.

The cargo for Victoria comprised nearly 4,000 mats of white rice, seventy bales of silk, 200 bales of Manila rope and large quantities of general cargo. A small feature shipment of dried seaweed was also discharged here. For discharge at Seattle the ship carried 4,500 tons of cargo, including 300 bales of silk, approximately 500 tons of Manila hemp and general cargo.

Passengers debarking here totalled fifty-eight steerage and four first class. The first class passengers were Dr. and Mrs. O. R. Avison, of New York, who has been in Korea for thirty years, and Capt. A. W. S. Gibb of the Clan MacLaren, which ship was sold in the Orient, and Mr. Gray.

The Seattle passenger list included 108 first class and 148 steerage, making a total of 318 passengers aboard the liner. Prominent among the first class passengers were H. P. West of Maryland, head of the department of chemistry, University of Philippines; H. H. Jayne, of Wallingford, Panama; Frank Harris of Denver, who for six years has been mining engineer with the Seoul Mining Company, Korea; E. F. Townsend, Oriental traffic manager, Admiral Oriental Line, Shanghai; Paul M. Anderson, assistant manager, American Milk Products Company; Arthur H. Coffin, manager pure food section Pacific Commercial Co. in the Philippines; F. H. Dean, foreign buyer for Woolworth Co. of New York, and Mrs. Dean; Thomas Kydd, lumber dealer, and Mrs. Kydd; G. D. Hopper, Far East manager Universal Leaf Tobacco Co.; R. R. Agner, export manager Pacific Coast Biscuit Co., Seattle; D. W. Smith, International Banking Corporation; F. H. Jackson, secretary Clear Lake Lumber Company; W. A. Rogers, Rogers Brown Iron Co., Buffalo, N.Y., and Mrs. Rogers; Mrs. Henry Norweb, wife of secretary of American Embassy, Tokio; Charles G. Collins, exporter, New Orleans; R. P. Ashbaugh, Western Electric Co., Chicago, Ill., and Harry Fokkes, manager Otto Reigher & Co., Tokio.

LATEST MOVEMENTS OF C.G.M.M. SHIPS

Canadian Britisher left Victoria for Yokohama March 7, 7.45 p.m.

Canadian Freighter arrived Vancouver March 9, 8 a.m., Lapointe Pier.

Canadian Highlander arrived Vancouver March 8, 5.40 p.m., northend Ballantyne Pier.

Canadian Importer left Port Kembla Feb. 29, 8 a.m.

Canadian Inventor en route Halifax to United Kingdom, Feb. 14.

Canadian Prospector left Glasgow for Vancouver Feb. 16, 5 p.m.

Canadian Seigneur arrived Yokohama March 8.

Canadian Scottish arrived Prince Rupert Feb. 27, 3 p.m.

Canadian Skirmisher left London for Vancouver March 14.

Canadian Transporter arrived Immingham, March 14.

Canadian Traveler arrived Vancouver March 8, 9.10 p.m., Ballantyne Pier.

Canadian Winner left Victoria for Chemainus March 15, 1 a.m.

Canadian Farmer arrived San Francisco March 13, 8.30 a.m.

Canadian Observer left Astoria for San Pedro March 11, midnight.

Canadian Rover left San Francisco for Vancouver March 22, 5 p.m.

Canadian Trooper arrived Vancouver March 11, 12 p.m.

Canadian Volunteer arrived Nanaimo March 15, 5 a.m.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

MARCH

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.
1	....	....	10.04	8.7	13.16	2.8	....	....
2	2.50	8.1	6.22	7.8	11.12	4.6	19.03	2.3
3	4.14	8.0	7.23	7.4	12.15	3.4	19.48	2.2
4	4.00	7.9	8.17	6.8	13.14	3.2	20.31	2.6
5	3.48	7.9	9.03	6.1	14.08	2.9	21.12	3.1
6	4.02	7.9	9.47	5.6	14.59	2.6	21.50	3.7
7	4.22	8.0	10.32	5.0	15.52	2.3	22.27	4.2
8	4.49	8.1	11.20	4.6	16.56	2.0	23.02	4.9
9	5.20	8.4	12.13	4.3	18.[illegible]	1.6	23.34	5.6
10	5.52	8.1	13.09	4.1	19.48	1.5	....	....
11	6.04	6.2	6.19	8.0	14.06	3.9	....	....
12	....	....	6.38	7.9	15.00	3.7	....	....
13	....	....	6.06	7.9	15.51	3.5	....	....
14	....	....	6.56	7.8	16.40	3.3	....	....
15	....	....	7.01	7.3	17.27	3.2	....	....
16	3.54	7.7	5.48	7.6	7.58	7.7	18.12	3.0
17	3.52	7.6	6.42	7.4	11.02	7.6	18.56	2.8
18	2.36	7.5	7.29	6.8	12.12	7.6	19.39	2.7
19	2.46	7.5	8.11	6.1	13.15	7.7	20.21	2.8
20	3.02	7.6	8.50	5.4	14.16	7.8	21.01	3.1
21	3.23	7.8	9.28	4.6	15.16	7.7	21.39	3.7
22	3.48	8.0	10.08	3.9	16.15	7.5	22.16	4.3
23	4.15	8.2	10.52	3.3	17.11	7.3	22.54	5.0
24	4.43	8.3	11.44	2.8	18.36	7.1	23.35	5.8
25	5.14	8.3	12.43	2.5	20.36	7.0	....	....
26	10.20	6.5	5.44	8.4	13.45	2.2	23.32	6.1
27	1.10	7.1	6.11	8.3	14.48	2.2	....	....
28	0.50	7.6	2.21	7.4	6.33	8.1	15.50	2.3
29	1.40	7.7	4.02	7.5	6.42	8.6	16.49	2.4
30	2.16	7.8	5.44	7.3	9.57	7.5	17.44	2.8
31	2.44	7.7	7.16	6.8	11.22	7.2	18.45	3.2

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

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Officers and Men Will be Taken on Tours Through Western Canada

Montreal, March 24.—Commander A. St. V. Keyes, C.B.E., D.S.O., was in Montreal Saturday completing arrangements with C. W. Johnston, passenger traffic manager, and C. K. Howard, general tourist agent of the Canadian National Railways, for a tour through Western Canada this Summer of a large party of officers and men from the British battle cruiser squadron at present touring the world, and which will call at Victoria and Vancouver in June.

The fleet, which is at present in Australia, will comprise H.M.S. Hood and Repulse, largest ships in the British navy, the light cruisers Delhi, Dragon, Danae and Dauntless, and the Adelaide of the Australian fleet. The light cruiser squadron is in charge of Hon. Sir Hubert Brand and the whole squadron in command of Vice-Admiral Sir Frederic Field, whose flagship is the Hood.

The fleet is due to arrive at Victoria on June 21, where a civic reception is being arranged for them. From there the Hood, Repulse and Adelaide sail to Vancouver, where another reception will be given them. The remaining ships will go to Esquimalt, but the men will be taken by train and boat to Vancouver to take part in an elaborate display of sports and manoeuvres, which will be held there. Invitations from Victoria and Vancouver have been sent all the mayors and city councils in British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan to attend this event and to participate in the reception of the fleet.

Following the Vancouver visit about fifty officers and 250 men will start on a trip through British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan as far East as Regina and Saskatoon, stops being made at all the principal cities as well as Jasper Park and Wainwright Buffalo Park on the main lines of the Canadian National Railway. Included in the party will be a naval band. Concerts and exhibitions of naval land manoeuvres will be given in cities visited.

The object of the trip is to give the men some idea of Canada as they are all potential settlers, and similar tours have been given them in Australia and other countries visited.

On their return to Vancouver, the fleet will sail down the Pacific to the Panama Canal. At this point the fleet will split into two parts, the battle cruisers proceedings through the canal and the light cruisers steaming around the Horn and straight back to England. The Hood and the Repulse and possibly the Adelaide will, however, call at Halifax and Quebec, and if time permits tours of the Maritime and of Quebec and Eastern Ontario, will be carried out for another large portion of the crews, the fleet is expected to reach Halifax late in July.

Commander Keyes, who is accompanied by Mrs. Keyes, left to-night on the Ocean Limited for St. John, where they are sailing to England. Commander Keyes will confer with the admiralty officer in London and will return to Canada in May.

Radio Proficiency Certificates Issued

Ottawa, March 24—Certificates of proficiency in radio telegraphy have been issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries to th following British Columbia candidates:

First class — A. D. Baillie, Port Hammond; G. N. Keith, Vancouver.

Second class—E. Chang, Vancouver; O. E. Fullerton, Pentleton; H. T. Libby, Vancouver; J. C. Moore, Victoria; E. W. Neilson, Burnaby; F. J. Neilson, New Westminster, and W. F. Reeves, Duncan.

Arranging Tours For Officers of the Empire Squadron

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Capablanca at Last Wins Game, Causing Tie Among Leaders

New York, March 24—Jose Capablanca of Cuba, world's champion, won his first victory of the international chess masters' tournament by a convincing finish in the fifty-first move of his match with Dr. Tartakowar yesterday and pulled the Austrian from the lead which is now held jointly by Bogoljubow of Latvia and Alekhine of Russia.

The former drew a bye. Alekhine won from Janowsky of France in forty moves.

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Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., during the month of March, 1924.

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunrise Min.	Sunset Hour	Sunset Min.
1	6	55	5	57
2	6	53	5	58
3	6	51	6	00
4	6	49	6	01
5	6	47	6	03
6	6	45	6	05
7	6	43	6	07
8	6	41	6	09
9	6	39	6	11
10	6	37	6	13
11	6	35	6	14
12	6	33	6	15
13	6	31	6	16
14	6	29	6	17
15	6	27	6	18
16	6	25	6	19
17	6	23	6	20
18	6	20	6	21
19	6	18	6	23
20	6	16	6	24
21	6	14	6	26
22	6	12	6	27
23	6	10	6	28
24	6	08	6	31
25	6	06	6	32
26	6	04	6	34
27	6	02	6	35
28	6	00	6	36
29	5	59	6	37
30	5	57	6	38
31	5	55	6	39

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Ships at a Glance

To Arrive

Shidzuoka Maru, Yokohama, March 19.

President Grant, Yokohama, March 24.

Tokiwa Maru, Yokohama, March 28.

Dictator, United Kingdom, April 15.

Empress of Asia, Yokohama, March 31.

To Sail

Empress of Australia, Yokohama, March 29.

President Jefferson, Yokohama, March 21.

Hakata Maru, Yokohama, March 24.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

MARCH, 1924

China and Japan

Empress of Russia—Mails close March 6, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama March 17, Shanghai March 21, Hongkong March 24.

President Jackson—Mails close March 9, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama March 21, Shanghai March 26, Hongkong March 30.

Alabama Maru—Mails close March 10, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama March 26, Shanghai April 5, Hongkong April 9.

Tyndareus—Mails close March 13, 9 a.m.; due at Yokohama March 27, Hongkong April 9.

Empress of Australia—Mails close March 20, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama April 2, Shanghai April 7, Hongkong April 10.

President Jefferson—Mails close March 21, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama April 2, Shanghai April 7, Hongkong April 11.

President Grant—Mails close April 2, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama April 14, Shanghai April 19, Hongkong April 22.

Australia and New Zealand

Sonoma—Mails close March 1, p.m., via San Francisco; due Sydney March 25 (Australia only).

Makura—Mails close March 8, a.m., direct; due Auckland, March 28.

Tahiti—Mails close March 23, p.m., via San Francisco; due Wellington, April 14.

Honolulu

Via San Francisco—Mails close March 1, 2, 8, 9, 12, 16, 23, 30, 4 p.m.

Via San Pedro—Mails close March 3, 4 p.m.

Via Seattle—Mails close March 3, 4 p.m.

Direct—Mails close March 3, 9 a.m.

A woman stood patiently before the receiving-clerk's window in a bank, but no one took any notice of her till she attracted the attention of the money-taker by tapping with her parasol on the glass.

"Why don't you pay attention to me?" she asked, petulantly.

"I'm sorry, ma'am; but we don't pay anything here. Next window please," was the polite response.